



Dec. 25, 1988

Wishing you every blessing at Christmas  
and through the year

From Mary Z., Gloria Johnston,  
Jane Shaffer, Wendy Kille, Eileen Bessette  
and Alfred Shaffer  
See you in Aug. at the reunion

Mary Zollicoffer  
154 Allen Street, #2  
Johann City, NY 13796

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*Best wishes to you and your family at Christmas  
and may peace, health and happiness be with you  
throughout the New Year.*

*Delaware & Hudson Chapter*  
**N. R. H. S.**

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— NORTHEASTERN BANK OF PENNSYLVANIA —

SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT  
SCHEDULE

AS OF 11/30/88

ACCOUNT  
80-80-001-3919163

PAULINE M PITCHER

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	CARRYING VALUE	TAX COST	MARKET VALUE	% OF MARKET	ESTIMATED INCOME	YIELD AT MARKET
PRINCIPAL CASH	33.08	33.08	33.08	.240		
FIXED INCOME COLLECTIVE FUNDS - FIXED	3,654.92	3,786.40	4,281.19	31.063	322.86	7.541
EQUITIES COLLECTIVE FUNDS - EQUITY	3,525.75	7,480.70	9,467.69	68.696	516.06	5.450
TOTAL PRINCIPAL ASSETS	7,213.76	11,300.19	13,781.97	100.000	838.94	6.087
INCOME CASH	-637.00	-637.00	-637.00			
FIXED INCOME CASH EQUIVALENTS	637.00	637.00	637.00		47.62	7.475
TOTAL INCOME ASSETS					47.62	7.475
ACCOUNT TOTAL	7,213.76	11,300.19	13,781.97		886.56	6.432



very nice

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SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT  
SCHEDULE

AS OF 11/30/88

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MAPLEWOOD CEMETERY

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	CARRYING VALUE	TAX COST	MARKET VALUE	% OF MARKET	ESTIMATED INCOME	YIELD AT MARKET
PRINCIPAL CASH	500.64	500.64	500.64	.684		
FIXED INCOME						
CASH EQUIVALENTS	287.00	287.00	287.00	.392	21.46	7.477
COLLECTIVE FUNDS - FIXED	23,486.86	23,694.07	23,332.26	31.920	1,759.68	7.541
TOTAL FIXED INCOME	23,773.86	24,181.07	23,619.26	32.313	1,781.14	7.541
EQUITIES						
COMMON STOCK	17,374.98	15,088.98	48,975.00	67.001	2,740.00	5.594
TOTAL PRINCIPAL ASSETS	41,649.48	39,770.69	73,094.90	100.000	4,521.14	6.185
INCOME CASH	-2,127.00	-2,127.00	-2,127.00			
FIXED INCOME					159.01	7.475
CASH EQUIVALENTS	2,127.00	2,127.00	2,127.00		159.01	7.475
TOTAL INCOME ASSETS						
ACCOUNT TOTAL	41,649.48	39,770.69	73,094.90		4,680.15	6.402

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very nice indeed.

# BEREAN BAPTIST CHURCH

33 LINCOLN AVENUE  
CARBONDALE, PA. 18407



*Pastor*  
REV. GORDON S. WILSON

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# INSTALLATION SERVICE

December 4, 1988.....11:00 A.M.

Prelude.....Ann Thomas

"O Saviour Sweet" by Bach  
"He Shall Feed His Flock" by Handel

Welcome and Greetings.....Merle Morgan

Call to Worship

Hymn 185: Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Advent Candle Lighting.....Junior Class

Hymn 92: O Little Town of Bethlehem (1)

Words of Welcome:

Carbondale Ministerium, Rev. Lexa H. Shallcross; Abington Baptist Association, Rev. John Race; Berean Baptist Church, Moderator Donald Thomas

Offering

Anthem.....Berean Choir  
"Happy Birthday, Dear Jesus"

Doxology

Solo.....Darlene Kacer  
"Hark! the Herald Angels Sing"

Scripture Reading: II Corinthians 2:16, 3:6

Sermon.....Rev. William B. Housam  
Who Is Sufficient?

CHARGE TO THE PASTOR:

Gordon S. Wilson, having been called and ordained as a minister of Jesus Christ and having accepted the invitation of the Berean Baptist Church to become its pastor, do you solemnly pledge that you will serve this congregation to the best of your ability according to the affirmation you have given in your ordination?

PASTOR: I do.

CHARGE TO THE PASTOR:

I charge you to be a good minister of Jesus Christ, remembering that like our Lord, you have come "not to be served but to serve," and to keep yourself at all times in true devotion to your high calling. Will you seek to practice daily the faith you profess, administer the ordinances in purity, proclaim the truth in love, and endeavor to lead this people in the ways of Christ the Lord?

PASTOR: I do, God being my helper.

CHARGE TO THE CONGREGATION:

In the name of God, are you persuaded

as a Church of Jesus Christ that you are ready to give yourself in loyalty to be instructed, led, and strengthened in the ways of the Spirit by the one who stands before you in answer to the call of God?

CONGREGATION: We are.

CHARGE TO THE CONGREGATION:

In recognition of the Christian partnership that must exist between pastor and people, do you now affirm your loyalty to this Church and to this pastoral relationship? Do you promise to give your utmost in devoted service and loyal cooperation?

CONGREGATION:

We do, God being our helper.

Prayer of Dedication

Response.....Rev. Gordon S. Wilson

Reception of New Members.....Mr. Irvin Chubb

Communion Hymn 296: All the Way My Savior Leads Me

The Lord's Supper

The Bread - His Body

The Cup - His Blood

Hymn 187: Blest Be the Tie That Binds (1)

Postlude.....Ann Thomas  
"O Blessed Emmanuel" by Bach

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You are cordially invited to attend the fellowship time immediately following the service this morning.

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WEDNESDAY

9:00 A.M. Abington Baptist Ministers meet

? Melchiah Circle meets

7:00 P.M. Choir rehearsal

8:00 P.M. AA Open Meeting

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DATES TO REMEMBER

December 11

Advent fellowship, holiday salad display, devotions, carol sing

December 18

Open house at the parsonage, 6:00 P.M.

Christmas Concert by Crystal Band, 7:00 P.M. (in the Berean sanctuary)

December 24

Christmas Eve Candle Light Communion Service at 9:00 P.M. in our sanctuary

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RIGHT HAND OF FELLOWSHIP

We are happy to extend the hand of fellowship today to Mr. Earl Parry and the Rev. and Mrs. Wilson.

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MEMORIAL FLOWERS

The flowers in the church today are in loving memory of Mr. Roy Crocker from his wife, Mrs. Sue Crocker.

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CHRISTMAS TREES

Our sincere thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Sid Witts for the beautiful Christmas trees. Also many thanks to all who helped decorate. Remember our "Card Tree" for the Meneelys.

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REGISTRATION

Please sign a "Registration Card" today. We are glad you are here!

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PARTICIPATING IN THE SERVICE TODAY  
ARE:

REV. WILLIAM B. HOUSAM, American  
Baptist northeastern Pennsylvania minister.

REV. LEXA H. SHALLCROSS, Priest in  
Charge, Trinity Episcopal Church, Carbondale

REV. JOHN RACE, Assistant Pastor,  
Clifford Baptist Church

MR. ERVIN CHUBB, Chairman, Spiritual  
Life Committee of the Administrative Board

MR. MERLE MORGAN, Chairman,  
Pastoral Search Committee

MR. DONALD D. THOMAS, Moderator,  
Berean Baptist Church.

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THIS WEEK AT BEREAN

TODAY

5:00 - 7:00 P.M. A Birthday Party for  
Jesus. There will be games, devotions  
and refreshments. This is for all ages.  
8:00 P.M. AA Meeting

TUESDAY

9:00 A.M. Carbondale Ministerium meets  
? Ruth Circle meets  
7:30 P.M. United Churches Board  
meeting at St. John's Lutheran Church,  
Scranton

BELL CONCERT TONIGHT

The First United Methodist Beaus and  
Belles Handbell Choir and God's Puppets will  
present "A Handbell Holiday" on Sunday,  
December 4, at 7:30 P.M. in the First United  
Methodist Church, Carbondale. A variety of  
classic Christmas carols will be featured, with  
vocal selections and handbell duets. Also on  
the program will be two comedy skits: "Oh,  
Christmas Tree," and "The Twelve Months of  
Christmas." The ringers (who unite people  
through music) and the puppets (who spread  
God's word to children and adults) have  
presented many church and civic concerts  
throughout Pennsylvania, New York and New  
Jersey. The Beaus and Bells are under the  
direction of Mrs. Joan Cosgrove, and God's  
Puppets are directed by Mrs. Kim Maxwell and  
Harold and Gail Connolly. The public is invited  
and a free will offering will be taken.

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**CHRISTMAS CONCERT**  
by the  
**CRYSTAL BAND**

H. Earl Brink  
Conductor  
Larry Hughes  
Assistant Conductor

**SUNDAY AT 7:00 PM**  
**DECEMBER 18, 1988**

**Berean Baptist Church**

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SEPTEMBER 23, 1988

INFO. BY LILLIAN MOREY

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Sherburne, NY 13460

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Received October 18, 1988

STANDARDS

COLUMBIAN WYANDOTTE - John Hayes 1-P; NEW HAMPSHIRE - S. Robert Powell 1-P; BUFF COCHIN - Gordon Walter - 1-2-C; BLUE COCHIN - Gordon Walter - 1-C; Lynda Rose - 2-C; BLACK LANGSHAN - John Hayes - 1-C; 1-CKL, 1-P; BLACK AUSTRALOP - S. Robert Powell - 1-P; S.C. WHITE LEGHORN - Ted Schwabrow - B.V. 1-H; Edward Van Wagner - B.O.S. 1-C; 2-H; R.C. LT. BROWN LEGHORN - John Hayes - R.V. 1-P; 1-CKL; BLUE AN.

DAUSIAN - John Hayes - 1-C, 1-H, 1-P; 1-CKL; BUFF LACED POLISH - Lynda Rose - 1-CKL; BEARDED GOLDEN POLISH - 1-P; BEARDED BUFF LACED POLISH - 1-P; SALMON FAVEROLLE - Dick and Thola Waldau - 2-H; Debbie Johnson - B.V. 1-H; B.O.S. - 1-C, 1-2-C; BLACK BREASTED RED O.E. - Clifford Douglass - 1-2,3-H; BLUE RED O.E. - Clifford Douglass - 1-H; BLACK SUMATRA - Gordon Walter - 1-C, 1-H; BLUE SAMATRA - Debbie Johnson - 1-2-P; ARUCANA - Lynda Rose - 1-CKL, 1-P; AMERUCANA - S. Robert Powell - 1-CKL, S.C. RHODE ISLAND RED - Ted Schwabrow - 1-H.

BANTAMS

BARRED ROCK - Bill Ehlers - B.V. 1-C, 1-H, 1-CKL, 1-P; Robert Sweeney - 2-3-P; WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCK - Pat Ehlers - Champion Bantam - 1-P, 2-CKL, LICE GRIMSLEY - 1-3-CKL, 2-3-P; BUFF PLYMOUTH ROCK - Pat Ehlers - 1-H, 1-CKL, 1-P; PARTRIDGE ROCKS - Marge Wilcox - 1-C, 1-H; COLUMBIAN ROCK - Bill Ehlers - 1-H, 1-CKL, 1-P; BLACK PLYMOUTH ROCK - Bruce Dumont - 1-CKL; SILVER LACED WYANDOTTE - Robert Sweeney - 1-P; PARTRIDGE WYANDOTTE - John Hayes - 1-C, 1-H, 1-CKL, 1-P; S.C. RHODE ISLAND RED - Paul Carley - B.V. - 1-C, 2-3-C, 1-3-H, 2-3-CKL, 1-2,3-P; Betty Foland - 1-CKL; Ted Schwabrow - 2-H; LT. BRAHMA - Donald R. Mentiply - 1-C, 1-H; BUFF BRAHMA - Robert Sweeney - B.V. 1-P, 2-P; Marge Wilcox - 1-C, 1-H; Patrick Newkirk - 1-C, 2-H; BUFF COCHIN - Lee Traver - B.V. - 1-H, 2-H, 1-2-C; PARTRIDGE COCHIN - Gordon Walter - 1-2-C, 1-2-H; WHITE COCHIN - Betty Foland - B.V. 1-H, 3-C; Everett Foland - 1-C, 2-H; Gordon Walter - 2-C, 3-H; BLACK COCHIN - Gordon Walter - 1-C, 3-C, 2-3-H, 1-2,3-P; Alice Grimsley - P.O.X. - 1-H; Dick and Thola Waldau - 2-C; Everett Foland - 1-CKL, 1-2,3-P; BLUE COCHIN - A. Donald Mentiply - B.V. 1-H, 2-H, 2-3-C; Dick and Thola Waldau - 1-C; BARRED COCHIN - Dick and

Thola Waldau - 1-C; BIRCHIN COCHIN - Gordon Walter - 1-C, 1-H; MOTTLED COCHIN - Grodon Walter - B.V. 1-H, 2-H; Dick and Thola Waldau - 1-C, 3-H; WHITE COCHIN - Alice Grimsley - 1-C; DK. BROWN LEGHORN - Ted Schwabrow - 1-H; S.C. LT. BROWN LEGHORN - Bruce Dumont - 1-H; Alice Grimsley - 2-H; S.C. WHITE LEGHORN - Robert Sweeney - B.V. 1-P; Clifford Douglass - 1-H; Bruce Dumont - 1-C; R.C. WHITE LEGHORN - 1-C; Robert Sweeney - 1-CKL; W.C. BLACK POLISH - Ted Schwabrow - 1-H; SALMON FAVEROLLE - Dick and Thola Waldau - 1-C; BROWN RED MODERN GAME - Lee Traver - 1-C, 1-H, 1-CKL, 1-P; SILVER DUCKWING MODERN GAME - Lee Traver - 1-C, 1-H, 1-CKL, 1-P; LEMON BLUE MODERN GAME - Lee Traver - 1-C, 1-H, 1-CKL, 1-P; B.B. MODERN GAME - 1-H, 1-P; B.B. RED O.E. - Stephen Sherman - B.V. 1-P, 3-P; Robert Shafer - 1-2,3-C, 1-2,3-H; John Pierce - 1-2-CKL, 2-P; SILVER DUCKWING - Stephen Sherman - 1-2,3-P; WHITE O.E. GAME - Robert and Christine Padula - B.V. 1-H, 2-3-H; John Hayes - 2-C; SPANGLED O.E. GAME - John Pierce - 1-C, 1-H, 1-CKL, 1-P; WHEATON O.E. GAME - John Pierce - 1-C, 1-P; FRIZZLE-BOOTED - John Hayes - 1-C, 1-H; FRIZZLE CLEAN LEG - John Hayes - 1-C, 1-H; BLACK ROSE COMB - Everett Foland - 1-2-H, 1-CKL, 1-2-P; GOLDEN SEERIGHT - Donald Thom - 1-C, 1-H, 1-P; Betty Foland - 1-CKL; SILVER SEERIGHT - Donald Thom - 1-P; Marge Wilcox - 1-C, 1-H; NON BEARDED WHITE SILKIE - Debbie Johnson - 1-H, 1-P; BEARDED WHITE SILKIE - Ken Carpenter - B.V. 1-H, 1-C; Inga Heilbroner - Res. 1-CKL, 2-CKL, 1-3-P; Catherine Cramer - 2-3-H, 3-CKL, 3-P; BEARDED MILLE FLEUR - John Hayes - 2-C, 1-H; Dick and Thola Waldau - 1-C; BROWN RED BEARDED d'UCLE - Dick and Thola Waldau - 1-C; BELGIAN QUAIL - Clifford Douglass - 1-C, 1-H.

WATERFOWL

WHITE CRESTED DUCK - Edward Van Wagner - 1-C; FAWN AND WHITE RUNNER - Clifford Douglass - 1-C; BLACK CAYUGA - Clifford Douglass - 1-2-C; BLACK FAST INDIES - William Ryan - 1-H, 2-P; Clifford Douglass - 1-CKL, 1-P; WHITE CALL - Clifford Douglass - B.V. 1-C, 1-H; William Ryan - 2-CKL, 2-P; Robert and Christine Padula - 1-CKL, 1-3-P; GRAY CALL - Robert and Christine Padula - B.V. 1-P, 2-P, 2-CKL; Clifford Douglass - 1-H; William Ryan - 2-H, 1-CKL, 3-P; TOULOUSE GOOSE - Clifford Douglass - 1-C; CHAMPION LARGE FOWL - BLACK LANGSHAN PULLETT - John Hayes; CHAMPION BANTAM - WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCK PULLETT - Pat Ehlers; CHAMPION WATERFOWL - WHITE CRESTED DRAKE - Edward Van Wagner.

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**EASTERN NEW YORK  
STATE POULTRY SHOW**  
by Lillian Morey

On Sunday, Sept. 25, 1988, the Eastern New York State Poultry Assoc. held their Annual Cobleskill Show.

Exhibitors from Mass., Vt., and Penn. as well as, our own New York State enjoyed the beautiful fall foliage that surrounded our day and we thank them.

We were pleased to see many of the older exhibitors, who do not have poultry, come back to visit with us.

Cochins and Rhode Island Red Bantams were the largest classes.

We were saddened by the death of one of our members that week, do to a tractor accident.

At the same time, we lost our

President, Secretary and Show Supt. as the Meserolis, Harold, Louise and Peter, are in the process of moving and have another hobby with which they want to spend more time. We will miss them and wish them well with their new hobby.

At our meeting we voted in these new officers: President — Ralph C. Morey, Vice President — Everette Foland, Secretary — Helen Carley, Treasurer — Lillian Morey.

In November, we will pick our dates and judges for the coming year's show.

Hope to see you all at our show next year.

*Lillian Morey is a nice person  
but the "write up" is a  
silly and ridiculous  
statement — virtually use-  
less. More details  
please.*

"We are the products of a sort of  
Cauldron, the surface of which is  
simmering, not with heat, but  
with emerging life -- ants,  
flies, rats, mice, oxen. Their  
surface is the earth, a living  
earth, on which life goes about  
its business, good or bad."

John Battersby Compton Lamburn.  
Last Notebook, 1965-1972

- Their extraordinary statement  
by Lamburn in from WBW's  
55-page story.

Robert:

12/4/88

Thanks for the good bulletin last Sunday.  
Please leave the Attendance cards out  
each week. Thank you.

Gordon W.

[One of the extremely rare  
instances in which anyone  
makes a comment — positive  
or negative — about the  
— weekly bulletin. No one has  
ever said anything negative,  
it should be noted.



12/6/88 - substituted at Mountain View today; for Mr. Pasko, the French/English teacher. In his 7th period class was a Joshua Uda, who is a 9th grader who lives in Elkdale, in one of the houses between the Seaman's place & the Grange. Joshua Uda is a nice guy. "Aren't you the guy who lives in the Church in Elkdale," he asked. I would love to hear what Joshua reported at the family dinner table on 12/6/88 - "You'll never guess who was my teacher today

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Income from the various trust  
funds for the care of these two  
Cemeteries.

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MAPLEWOOD CEMETERY ASSOCIATION  
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RESOLUTION PROCEDURES AND DOCUMENTATION  
OF DIRECT DEPOSITS.

SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTS	CHECKING	TOTAL BALANCE ON	11-28-88	3,523.08
COMBINED ON THIS	REGULAR SAVINGS	TOTAL BALANCE ON	11-28-88	.00
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11-21-88 DEPOSIT	(331454)	3,523.08
11-28-88 ENDING BALANCE		3,523.08

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12/7/88 — Closed Box 179A in the vault at the First Eastern Bank (formerly the Liberty Bank) and moved the contents of the box to Box 1036 at the Pioneer American Bank (formerly the First National Bank). The reason for closing the box:

- 1) a year has elapsed since they promised repair of the <sup>inner</sup> door of the box — to date, no action has been taken
- 2) the rental rate was \$40 last year; the <sup>1989</sup> rental has been raised to \$66.00, which is expensive, to be sure.





*Closed 12-7-88*

SAFE DEPOSIT BOX ANNUAL BILL

*+ contents moved to 1036*

BOX NO.	BOX RENTAL	DUE DATE	BRANCH OFFICE
45 00A179	\$46.00	12/15/88	CARRONDALE OFFICE

THIS NEW BILL REFLECTS THE SAFE DEPOSIT BOX RENTAL FEE INCREASE, EFF. JAN. 1, 1988. PLEASE CALL YOUR NEAREST BRANCH WITH ANY QUESTIONS.

TO: S ROBERT POWELL  
P.O. BOX 161  
CARRONDALE

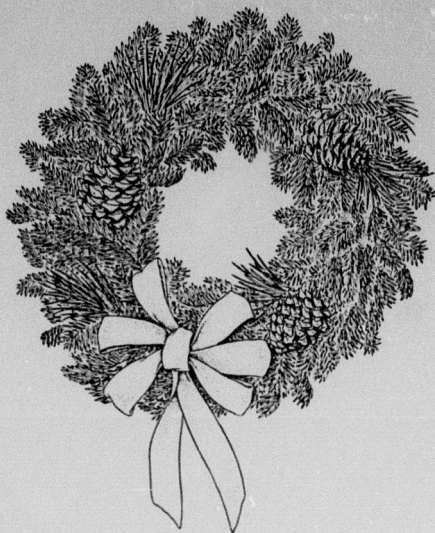
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*due 12/15/88*

The rent for your Safe Deposit Box is due and payable as indicated above. If you pay in person, kindly bring both copies of this notice with you. If you pay by mail using the enclosed envelope, please return the top copy with your check, and keep the duplicate for your records.

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MASONIC HALL ASSOCIATION

CHRISTMAS PARTY  
&  
COVERED DISH DINNER

- When : Wednesday Evening, December 21, 1988, 6 PM - 10 PM
- Where : Masonic Temple, 23-25 Salem Avenue, Carbondale, PA
- Who : All Carbondale Masons, their spouses, family and friends,  
Masons from nearby Lodges
- What to bring : Bring a dish to be passed, everything else will be provided.  
Hot dishes may be kept warm until time to be served.

ROAST TURKEY : The Masonic Hall Association will roast a turkey in the Hall oven, so don't bring any meat dish.

LIVE ENTERTAINMENT, possibly Santa Claus, possibly a piano player. Maybe we can even sing a Christmas carol or two.

## WHAT WE ACCOMPLISHED AT THE BREAKFAST AND WORK SESSION

A descriptive report of the MASONIC BREAKFAST & WORK SESSION, Saturday, November 26, 1988, 8 AM- 5 PM, by Donald W. Powell

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!! Two sayings come to mind as I try to summarize "what we accomplished" at the BREAKFAST & WORK SESSION on Saturday, November 26, 1988. The first was said by the Dutch philosopher Descartes. It is this :

→ Give me a square foot to stand on and I can move the earth.

*Descartes  
was French!*

What Descartes was saying was "give me a solid and secure place from which I can operate and I can do anything".

The second saying that comes to mind is also Dutch. It is a Dutch proverb. It goes like this :

Een goed begin is het halve werk.

Translated this saying says : A good beginning is half the job.

Both of these sayings apply to what 23 Carbondale Masons and their families and friends accomplished in the Masonic Temple, 23-25 Salem Avenue, Carbondale, PA, on November 26, 1988. The day began before 7 AM, when Charlie Price dropped off the maple syrup and butter & margarine patties for the pancakes, and the day ended shortly after 4 PM when I carried out the trash bag from the kitchen waste basket and locked the door.

In all, a great deal was accomplished in three areas : MATERIALLY, PSYCHOLOGICALLY, and HISTORICALLY. In the pages which follow the specific accomplishments in each of these areas, and a list of those who showed up and worked, plus a few other related descriptions are given.

It was enormously gratifying to have had such a large turnout. I personally was most moved, and energized, by the active participation

- of three of the most venerable of the Carbondale Masons ( Bill Geesey, Ambrose Collins, Merle Morgan )
- of members of nearby Lodges ( Rowland Sharp, Al Papocchia )
- of friends of the Carbondale Masons ( S. Robert Powell ).

None of these people "had" to be there. They were there because they care. Also, it was very heartening to have had present so many recently raised Carbondale Masons.

( OVER, please )

*Archimedes (287? - 212 BC) Greek  
mathematician & inventor.*

## MATERIALLY

- 1 The Winter Lodge Room ( on the second floor ) was thoroughly housecleaned -- dusted from ceiling to floor, windows washed, rug vacuumed, all furniture ( pedestals, tables, chairs, settees ) wiped down in lemon oil.
- 2 All the necessary ceremonial furniture and furnishings were moved from the third floor to the Winter Lodge Room, and this furniture and furnishings was completely wiped down in lemon oil.
- 3 Two complete towers of scaffolding and planks were carried to the third floor Lodge Room and erected in the northeast corner at the site of the major wall and ceiling damage.
- 4 All of the lodge furniture in the East, including the piano, was moved to the center of the floor and the rug was rolled back.
- 5 The six major ceiling light fixtures in the third floor Lodge Room were lowered to the floor, removed, washed and stored in the anterooms.
- 6 The damaged plaster which had fallen to the floor on the third floor landing was swept up and put into dog food bags for disposal.
- 7 A large sheet of black plastic was spread in the East in the Lodge Room and most of the damaged plaster and rotted studs ( dry rotted ) and lath in the northeast corner was knocked from the wall.
- 8 The furnace ( in the basement, and reached via steel doors in the sidewalk in front of the building ) was completely drained and flushed out. Also the water heater in the kitchen was turned on, and used for the day.
- 9 The main entrance stair well was thoroughly swept and washed, and all of the woodwork ( wainscoting and banisters ) was wiped down with lemon oil.
- 10 All of the furniture in the Commandery room on the second floor was wiped down with lemon oil, and all of the ash trays [ Is that what they are, or are they to hold cards ? ] were removed and thoroughly scrubbed with soap and water.
- 11 Loose tarpaper on the roof was discovered and nailed down.

## PSYCHOLOGICALLY

What did we accomplish psychologically ? Well, first of all we have realized that we can save ourselves, that we can accomplish the task, that we can do something about the problem. And, second of all, we have discovered the truth behind the saying, "The family that prays together stays together." Those of us who took part in the work session collectively feel an unspoken kinship with each other. We care. We have come closer together. We have discovered that we are not alone. Also, we have experienced the good feeling of having done our part to keep the organization, its principles and ideals, alive.



# HISTORICALLY

1877.	
<b>Carbondale Lodge,</b>	
NO. 249, A. Y. M.	
Wednesday on or before Full Moon.	
January.....	24th.
February.....	21st.
March.....	25th.
April.....	25th.
May.....	16th.
June.....	20th.
July.....	25th.
August.....	21st.
September.....	19th.
October.....	17th.
November.....	14th.
December.....	(Election) 19th.
December.....	27th.
OFFICERS.	
HENRY B. WILSON.....	W. M.
JOHN SUGGET.....	S. W.
HOWARD STRICKLAND.....	J. W.
JOSEPH BIRKETT.....	Treasurer.
CHAS. O. MILLER.....	Secretary.

1877.	
<b>Eureka Chapter,</b>	
NO. 179, H. R. A. M.	
Wednesday after Full Moon.	
January.....	2d.
January.....	21st.
February.....	25th.
March.....	7th.
April.....	4th.
May.....	2d.
May.....	20th.
June.....	17th.
August.....	1st.
August.....	19th.
September.....	16th.
October.....	14th.
November.....	11st.
December.....	(Election) 16th.
OFFICERS.	
W. L. YARRINGTON.....	H. P.
S. D. DAVIS.....	King.
M. H. BARNES.....	Scotie.
THOMAS GRIFFIN.....	Treasurer.
CHAS. O. MILLER.....	Secretary.

This Lodge / Chapter notice is one of the many historical items uncovered on Saturday, November 26, 1988 [ see number 2c below ] .

## 1 "Facts and Figures" by word of mouth from our "elders".

### a. Bill Geesey on the early history of the building.

Bill identified 13 of the 14 men in the 1955 Chapter picture.  
 Bill told us that the storage rooms on the 3rd floor were always locked.  
 Bill said that as long as he knows there were never gas lights in the Lodge Room on the 3rd floor.

### b. Ambrose Collins told Howard Yepson how to drain and flush the furnace.

### c. Ron Comunale reported that the ice cream parlor chairs, some of which are in the Commandery room and most of which are in the Demolay Room on the 3rd floor, came from a local ice cream parlor. Was it Russells, or the Palace Creamery ? When did they come ?

( OVER please )




2 Actual "historical" objects uncovered and recovered

- a. The key to the Chapter ante- and storage rooms on the 3rd floor.
- b. A stack of receipts, for buckwheat coal, covering the period 1-26-1956 to 4-4-1964, from  
JOHN BOOTH INCORPORATED,  
General Contractors, Motor Truck Hauling, Coal and Masons' Materials.  
Office : 17 Salem Avenue, Carbondale, PA  
Phone : 1400
- c. A Lodge / Chapter notice from 1877.
- d. The (presumably ? ) original architectural floor plan, for the 3rd floor, entitled, bottom center, "Third Story Plan, Scale 1/4" = foot". This plan, 27 1/2" X 13 1/4", is an ink drawing and is done on cloth.
- e. The 1923 blueprint for the redesign of the 3rd floor. This blueprint is entitled :  
Alteration to Lodge Room, for the Masonic Hall Association, Carbondale, PA.  
Drawing No. 1, May 14, 1924  
Scale = 1/4" = 1'0"  
Revised 5-23-23, Revised 6-9-23  
Edgar A. Wrightman, Architect  
1213 Filbert St., Philadelphia, Pa.  
Floor Plan, Detail of Curtain Rods, Ceiling Plan  
  
This blueprint is 27" X 29".
- f. Chase, Geo. Wingate, The MASONIC HARP : A collection of Masonic Odes, Hymns, Songs, &c , for the public and private Ceremonies and Festivals of the Fraternity, ( Boston : Oliver Ditson & Company ), 1858.
- g. DRILL REGULATIONS of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States of America, Adopted at Seattle, Washington, July 30, 1925, ( Newton, Kansas : The Kansan Printing Company ), 1926 ( January ).

# WHO WAS THERE

- 1 William D. Geesey
- 2 Ambrose J. Collins
- 3 Merle Morgan
- 4 Howard A. Yepson
- 5-6 Ronald A. Comunale, and his wife, Theresa
- 7 Charles W. Price
- 8 Benjamin A. Beynon
- 9 John V. Buberniak
- 10-11 Duane F. Mosher, and his wife, Mary Ann
- 12-13 Metro Suchniak, and his wife, Irene
- 14-16 Rowland M. Sharp ( Freedom Lodge No. 328, Thompson, PA ),  
his father, Tony Sharp, and John Foote

Special thanks to these three marvellous guys for  
donating to and transporting to 249 on Friday night,  
November 25, 1988, 20 sheets of sheet rock.

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- 17 Robert N. Parry
  - 18 Glenn Parry
  - 19 S. Robert Powell
  - 20 Donald W. Powell

Also, special thanks to

- 21 Oswald L. Chambers, for the long-term loan of one tower of  
scaffolding and planks
- 22 Connie Buberniak, for the use of her truck to move scaffolding  
and planks
- 23 Al Papocchia ( Freedom Lodge No. 328, Thompson, PA ), of the  
ABC Market, Carbondale, for his contribution of some of the  
groceries used for the breakfast and the lunch

Many Carbondale Masons, and friends, contributed financially to the  
restoration project, see the list which follows entitled :  
DONORS TO THE RESTORATION OF THE LODGE ROOM, CARBONDALE  
MASONIC HALL.

( O V E R please )

DONORS TO THE RESTORATION OF THE LODGE ROOM,  
CARBONDALE MASONIC HALL

October 5, 1988

- 1 Rowland M. Sharp, Freedom Lodge No. 328, Thompson, PA

November 2, 1988

- 2 Frederick L. Walker ( P. M., 1968 )  
3 Dennis J. Suchnietak  
4 Ronald A. Comunale ( P. M., 1984 )  
5 Duane F. Mosher  
6 John Luchonok  
7 David C. Martin ( P. M., 1970 )

November 16, 1988

- 8 James R. Nicholson, 5 Stratford Rd., Brooklyn, NY 11218  
9 Paul Levey  
10 David C. Jones, Division Commander, Division No. 13, Grand  
Commandery of Pennsylvania

November 17, 1988

- 11 Robert W. Parry, Sr.

November 18, 1988

- 12 Warren D. Geary, 2549 S. W. Egret Pond Circle, Palm City, FL 33490

November 21, 1988

- 13 Milton Friedman, Jerry Friedman ( both from Jermyn Lodge No. 523 )

November 22, 1988

- 14 Richard Arrowsmith

November 26, 1988

- 15 William D. Geesey  
16 Glenn Parry  
17 Robert N. Parry  
18 Ronald Parry  
19 Benjamin A. Beynon  
20 Al Papocchia, Freedom Lodge No. 328, Thompson, PA

## WHAT WAS THE FOOD LIKE ?

Great. Fantastic. Marvellous. That's what they said, and even I, "the chief cook and bottle washer," enjoyed it. I owe special thanks to Charlie Price, who showed up before 7:10 AM ( when I got there ) with the maple syrup and butter & margarine patties [ all of which were generously donated by him to the project ], and who helped get things organized in the kitchen and in the dining room before our first customers arrived around 8 AM. The "best laid plans of mice and men" were changed in the course of that first hour, and the pancakes and sausages turned out to be homemade waffles and sausage and fried eggs. The eggs were better than most because they were homegrown, by my brother's hens, in Elkdale, and they were fresh and therefore stood up tall when they were cracked into the pan. And well water, from the country, is an important ingredient in making good coffee, and good orange juice. And of course my mother's tried-and-true coffee pot and coffee recipe helps a lot too. And later on, when everyone had had enough maple syrup and waffles and the hunger pangs of lunch began, the remaining breakfast sausage, with a generous infusion of more sausage ( both hot and sweet ) and green peppers and onions [ all generously donated by Al Papocchia from ABC Market ], was converted to fried sausage and peppers and onions and was washed down with a variety of soda and another 20-cup pot of coffee. Next time we shall have toast, and perhaps sweet rolls and coffee cake.

Total cost of groceries ( after donations ) : \$30.44.

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## PREVIOUS CLEANING CAMPAIGNS

During the course of the day I learned that there had in the past been two cleaning campaigns in the Masonic Temple, Carbondale.

- 1952 Bill Geesey related that in 1952 when the furniture in the third floor Lodge Room was cleaned it was discovered that each piece was made not entirely out of the same kind of wood ( as it appeared to be ) but out of at least three kinds of wood. The pedestals and altar were discovered to have beautiful bird's eye maple decorative inserts. Over the years the grime from the coal stove, which one stood in the room, had blackened the furniture with a layer of grease and grime. Apparently the holes in the wall for the stove pipes were once ( possibly still are ) visible.
- 1977 Ron Comunale related that after the building was sold and the Masons became renters that there was a big push to clean up the hall and get everything on the interior straightened out because there was a clause in the lease which said that the inside of the building was our responsibility to keep clean and repaired. Apparently at that time there was ( or was to be ) scaffolding set up so that the entire interior could be cleaned and dusted. This cleaning campaign failed because only three members ( according to present-day recollection : Ron Comunale, Bob Gentile, Donnie Levanthal ) showed up to work.



# Crystal Band to offer Christmas concert

The fifth annual Carbondale concert of traditional and popular Christmas music by the Crystal Band will be presented on Sunday, December 18, at 7 p.m. in the Beran Baptist Church.

The concert, which will take place in the main hall of the church, located at the corner of Lincoln Avenue and North Church Street, is sponsored by the Carbondale Historical Society, and presented as a holiday gift to the community.

The public is invited to attend. There will be no admission charge, and refreshments will be served following the concert.

Originally organized in 1879 as a boys' brass band in the Petersburg section of Scranton, the Crystal Band has provided the opportunity for amateur and professional musicians to develop their musical abilities under capable leadership.

The band consists of more than 40 members, who range in age from teenagers to octogenarians. Membership in the band is open to anyone interested in playing concert band music.

Many of the communities of northeastern Pennsylvania are represented in the Crystal Band. Manny Winters and Howard A. Yepsen, two well known residents of Carbondale, have performed in the percussion section of the band for many years.

Among other members of the band from Carbondale and the surrounding area are: Melissa Hartmann, flute; Marsie Seagle, clarinet; Lorian Valentine, flute; Sheryl Lynn Oleski, clarinet; Gerald Kaminski, saxophone; Bob

Bishop, saxophone; Lavina Gornick, clarinet; and Robert Bednarczyk, trumpet.

The present conductor of the band is H. Earl Brink, who has directed the Crystal Band since 1958. The conducting duties at the Christmas concert in the Beran Baptist Church on December 18 will be shared by the band's associate conductor Larry Hughes.

The Christmas concert in the Beran Baptist Church is one of a five-concert Christmas series which will be presented by the band this year.

During the summer months, the Crystal Band performs a series of outdoor concerts in northeastern Pennsylvania, including a concert in Carbondale's Memorial Park, which is also sponsored annually by the Historical Society.

During the summer of 1975, the Crystal Band, under the direction of H. Earl Brink and sponsored by the State Department, traveled to Romania, where the band performed 12 concerts for large and enthusiastic audiences during the three-week, 1,600-mile concert tour.

Since 1983, S. Robert Powell, the president of the Carbondale Historical Society, has served as the master of ceremonies for all of the concerts by the Crystal Band. He will serve the band in that capacity at the concert in the Beran Baptist Church on December 18.

For additional information on this concert, interested persons are asked to contact the band manager, Karin Kreinberg, 347-6154, or the master of ceremonies, 679-2979.

[Article by SRR]



## THE CANDY CANE

The shepherd's crook was at the first worship of Christmas. Its counterpart is our candy cane, so old as a symbol that we have almost forgotten its origin.

We are immediately attracted to its color -- red for sacrifice, white for purity. The body of the cane is white representing the life that is pure, or may become pure. The broad red stripe is symbolic of our Lord's sacrifice for us. We celebrate the birth of a child, Jesus, but we must also be mindful of the man Christ. Christ brings us ultimate victory over Calvary.

The smaller stripes represent the sacrifices we must make as Christians, and the offerings we would bring to be intertwined with the sacrifice of our Savior.

The form of a staff suggests service. The Savior Shepherd seeking out His own with a determination that no one shall perish; we fulfilling our own purpose as those whom He called to serve just as He came to serve.

The Color and form give way to the aroma of peppermint, akin to the aromatic herb, hysop, and to its pungent taste. Old Testament scholars say that hysop was used not only for its delightful taste but also for medicinal purposes so that a healing nature is suggested.

It is candy to be shared--- broken into pieces for all to share, drawing us into a fellowship of sharing. Just as Jesus' body in the Holy Communion is broken in order to be shared, so our lives as good stewards must be shared; as children of God and sharers of Christ's life, we come to learn that only as we give -- we live.

John 3:16 -- For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life.

(this can be used as an opening for a mtg., part of a devotional or a closing or other part of a mtg. suitable to your group)

Program Ideas w/shop  
ABW conf. Green Lake/88

*[Mother gave this to  
me. It was from her  
Sunday School class.]*

## The public's invited

### DECEMBER

10: Christmas Craft Bazaar, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Lakeland High School, sponsored by the senior class of Lakeland.

11: Concert entitled "Sing of a Merry Christmas," presented by Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Choir, 7:30 p.m. in the church auditorium.

11: A Christmas Carol, by Charles Dickens, presented by Fanfare Theatre Ensemble of New York City at the Carbondale Area High School, 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.

18: Fifth annual Christmas concert by the Crystal Band, 7 p.m. at Berean Baptist Church, sponsored

by the Carbondale Historical Society and Museum, Inc.

30: Winter Frolic, 6:30 p.m. at Fiorelli's, Peckville, sponsored by St. Rose Women's Guild.

### JANUARY

14: Dinner dance featuring Joe Stanky and His Cadets, sponsored by St. Michael's Hall Committee, 7 p.m. at St. Michael's Hall, 403 Delaware St., Jermyn.

12/8/88 - Installed a 4"x4" post out front this afternoon. When the Lehigh Valley office of the U. S. Postal Service finally approves my request for service, I will attach a box to the post and Russell Peltz (the postman on this route) will begin delivering mail to SRP here at Elkdale.

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*Please note that my middle name is "Robert" & that my first name initial is "S."*



SCRANTON TIMES

Scranton Tribune

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12/9/88 by SRP  
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FOR RELEASE: Week of December 12, 1988

FROM: S. Robert Powell (679-2979)

CRYSTAL BAND TO PERFORM IN CARBONDALE

The fifth annual Carbondale concert of traditional and popular Christmas music by the Crystal Band will be presented on Sunday, December 18, at 7:00 P.M., in the Berean Baptist Church, Rev. Gordon S. Wilson, pastor. The concert, which will take place in the main hall of the church, located at the corner of Lincoln Avenue and North Church Street, is sponsored by the Carbondale Historical Society, and presented as a holiday present to the community by the Carbondale Historical Society. The public is invited to attend this concert. There will be no admission charge, and refreshments will be served following the concert.

Originally organized in 1879 in the Petersburg section of Scranton as a boys' brass band, the Crystal Band has always provided the opportunity for amateur and professional musicians to develop their musical abilities under capable leadership. The band consists of 50 members, who range in age from teenagers to octogenarians. Membership in the band is open to anyone interested in playing concert band music. The band rehearses every Monday from 7:30 P.M. to 9:00 P.M. in the Trinity Baptist Church, 1546 Monsey Avenue, Scranton, from October through May.

Many of the communities of northeastern Pennsylvania are represented in the Crystal Band. Manny Winters and Howard A. Yepson, two well known residents of Carbondale, have performed in the percussion section of the band for many years. Among the other members of the band from the up-valley area are: Melissa Hartmann, flute; Marsie Seigle, clarinet; Loriann Valentine, flute;

Sheryl Lynn Oleski, clarinet; Gerald Kaminski, saxophone; Bob Bishop, saxophone; Lavinia Garcia, clarinet; and Robert Bednarczyk, trumpet.

In speaking of the Crystal Band, Manny Winters commented: "Since its organization, many dedicated musicians have contributed their talents and enabled the band to promote programs and activities unparalleled by any other musical organization in northeastern Pennsylvania. The Crystal Band's success has been due, in a large part, to the leadership of various individuals who have discharged their duties with dedication and integrity." The present conductor of the band is H. Earl Brink, who has directed the Crystal Band since 1958. The conducting duties at the Christmas concert in the Baptist Church on December 18th will be shared by the band's associate conductor, Larry Hughes.

The Christmas concert in the Berean Baptist Church on December 18 is one of a 5-concert Christmas series that will be presented by the band this year. The other concerts in this year's series will be performed at Wesley Village, Jenkins Township (December 4, at 2:30 P.M.), Trinity Baptist Church, Scranton (December 11, at 7:00 P.M.), Lutherwood (December 12, at 7:30 P.M.), and Lackawanna County Long Term Care Center (December 19, at 7:30 P.M.)

During the summer months, the Crystal Band performs a series of outdoor concerts in northeastern Pennsylvania, including a concert in Carbondale's Memorial Park, which is sponsored annually by the Carbondale Historical Society. During the summer of 1975, the Crystal Band, under the direction of H. Earl Brink and sponsored by the State Department, traveled to Romania, where the band performed 12 concerts for large and enthusiastic audiences during the three-week, 1,600-mile concert tour.

Every year, the band presents an Annual Spring Concert in North Pocono High School Auditorium. This coming spring the concert will take place on April 23.

Since 1983, S. Robert Powell, the president of the Carbondale Historical Society, has served as the Master of Ceremonies for all of the concerts by the Crystal Band. Dr. Powell will serve the band in that capacity at the concert in the Berean Baptist Church on December 18th. For additional information on this concert, interested persons are asked to contact the Band Manager, Karin Kreinberg (347-6154) or the Master of Ceremonies, S. Robert Powell (679-2979).

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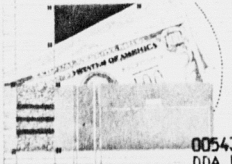
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12/9/88 — 730 P.M. — Cold winter night;  
temperature in the 10°F range/ area  
this morning and no sun. Still and  
very cold. All was well with my  
precious pets — the water dishes in  
HH II were not frozen (those for two  
or three pens on each side of the  
250-watt infra-red lamp), and  
the birds were quite normal.

The layers (in HH I) were singing  
away as I fed and watered them  
before 8 A.M. This afternoon I arranged  
cloth night draperies for the front  
of HH II and re-installed the  
drape from last year on HH I.

So all is well. I will, however,  
continue with the winterization —  
I will attach heavy black plastic  
to the back and bottoms of



both coops, and that will make their floors warmer. A heat lamp has been installed in HHI, but I have not yet had it on. When the temperature gets down below 10°F, I will turn it on for the layers — who are now all quite robust and appear to be completely un-phased by the cold weather, as are the tipplers.

The Ameraucana hen has begun to lay — green eggs: a beautiful apple green. She has laid 6 to date, and I gave two of them to JVB, since he was more or less instrumental in my getting the Ameraucana hen from Dominick Andidoro's son.

3.

The black orpingtons have momentarily  
stopped laying. Hopefully they will  
get going again soon because my  
plan is to get a setting of eggs  
from the Black orpingtons, the  
australorps and the Ameraucana  
during the Christmas holiday.  
I gather eggs for about a week or  
so (I will be around during the  
day so the eggs won't get too  
cooled in the nests because I will  
gather them repeatedly / often)  
and start up the incubator  
around January 1. Hopefully, I  
can get about 30 eggs (12 orpingtons,  
12 australorps and 6 ameraucana).  
That ought to give me about  
20 chicks in late January.

Most amazingly, all of this planning for Chick has given me the impression that Spring is on the way! Such is yet another of the wonderful consequences of raising poetry—projection into the future. The same is true, of course, for SRP the gardener. Right after Christmas the seed catalogues start arriving and one immediately begins Spring garden plans. The rhythm is beautiful.

12/10/88 — "Winter is a 'comin'" — with  
a vengeance! Less than 10°F this morning.  
Cold, yes, but not the end of the  
world as one would deduce from  
listening to the weather reports  
on the radio. Really, they (the  
newscasters) are a gaggle of  
hysterical / over-reacting / silly  
minnies. You would think that  
they are un-acquainted with the  
basic / fundamental rhythms of  
the earth in the northern United  
States. The first order of business  
this morning was to drive to  
the Herrick Center agway and buy  
100 lb of medicated Chick starter  
(\$13.30) and 100 lb of Cracked Corn  
(\$10.85), as well as a dozen plastic



freezer boxes/containers to use a  
 feed and water dishes for the birds.  
 [and write this, 7 P.M., I am  
 listening to a recording of Kim Te  
 Kanawa singing the Four Last  
Songs of Richard Strauss — the  
 orchestral introduction to the 4<sup>th</sup>  
 song, "Im Abendrot," is very  
 beautiful — as is the entire song. I  
 have just now been swept away,  
 yet again, by the song. Very  
 beautiful, indeed.] That done,  
 I prepared for myself a break-  
 fast of waffles and maple syrup.

Commercial maple syrup, which  
 is sweet — but tasteless. I shall  
 have to make some maple syrup  
 in February / March.



as I have been doing on Saturday  
mornings for some time now, &  
next cleaned out / spruced up all  
of the Chicken coops and put the  
manure in the flower garden.

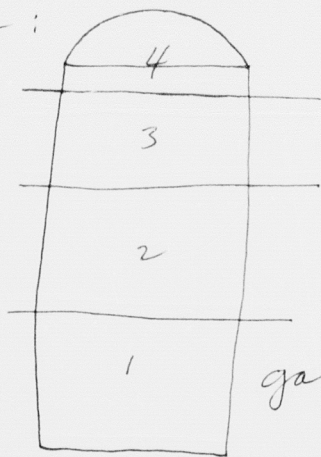
Such a garden I will have next  
summer! The entire manure  
spreader full <sup>of cow manure</sup> from Alvin was put  
on the garden before the ground  
froze, and I have been regularly  
scattering the Cleanings from  
the hen houses on the garden:  
the Cleanings are, for the most  
part, dry and very scatter-able  
and so I stand with the wind  
on my back and toss in the  
air the hen house Cleanings  
and they are carried by the

4.  
breeze/wind to every nook and  
cranny of the garden. That done,  
I then emptied out one of the 4  
55-gallon drums (it was almost  
empty) and cleaned it out good  
with dish washing detergent &  
moved it into the inside of the  
box. I then carefully filled it  
up with water from another of  
the rain barrels — this water I  
will use to water the birds.  
Regrettably I will probably  
have to empty on the ground  
at least one full barrel of  
 $H_2O$  — it is freezing in the  
barrels now and I can't risk  
damaging the barrels. Having  
this reservoir in here will make

it easier on SRP in watering the birds in the morning. When the barrel is empty, I will fill it up again with water either from the Tinker Creek or the Homestead. A barrel full ought to last about a month — possibly less.

The next project was to take out — and clean up — the Kerosene heater. Such an accumulation of dust and dirt. Without difficulty, however, I got it going and placed it in the Great Hall where it quickly does its job and takes the chill from the air, which makes it easier to heat the

box up with the oil filled electric<sup>6.</sup> radiator. I am continually astounded by the amount of heat that is given off by the kerosene heater. I am always fantasizing about living in a silo - or at least a building shaped as follows:



Four floors - possibly three; each 12 or 16 feet square.

garage + heating system

- lots of windows facing south and east; solar heat + heat the bottom floor and re-use the heat for the upper floors.

The layers are producing nicely these days — 8 beautiful large brown eggs today + a green americana egg. I will take a few dozen eggs with me to the Baptist Church in the morning and market them.

DA P phoned at 1:30 PM and asked me to serve on the table committee for the Masonic Dinner on 12/21/88 — naturally I said yes. I was sure it was about 4 P.M. when he phoned — a result of my having been so busy and productive all day.





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MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE  
Sunday, December 11, 1988 .....11:00 A. M.

# PREPARATION

Prelude.....Ann Thomas  
"The Holly and the Ivy" by John Rasley  
Call to Worship

# PRAISE

Hymn 100: Come All Ye Faithful  
Invocation and Lord's Prayer  
Advent Candle Lighting.....Adult: Class  
Solo.....Ervin Chubb  
"What Child Is This"

# PRESENTATION

Church's Common Concerns  
Prayers for the People  
Prayers for the People  
Presenting Our Tithes and Offerings  
Offertory Selection.....Berean Choir  
"Child in a Manger"  
Doxology  
Prayer of Dedication.

# PROCLAMATION

Old Testament Reading: Zephaniah 3: 14-20  
Hymn 96: As with Gladness  
New Testament Reading: Philipians 4: 1-7  
Sermon.....Rev. Gordon S. Wilson  
The Ministry of Encouragement

# PROFESSION

Hymn 437: O Master Let Me Walk with Thee  
Benediction  
Postlude.....Ann Thomas

"Postlude" by Catherine Soige  
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If you wish to join this Church or to make a  
commitment to Christ, please come forward during  
the singing of the Hymn of Invitation  
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# THIS WEEK

Today

9:45 A.M. Church School (all ages)  
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship (nursery provided)  
5:00 P.M. Advent Fellowship: Holiday Salad  
display, devotions, Christmas carols,  
refreshments. All are welcome.  
8:00 P.M. AA Meeting; open discussion

Tuesday

6:00 P.M. Beacon Class meets for Christmas  
dinner

Wednesday

7:00 P.M. Choir Rehearsal  
8:00 P.M. AA Open Meeting

Thursday

6:30 P.M. Berean Builders Christmas party

Next Sunday

9:45 A.M. Church School for all ages  
11:00 A.M. Christmas Worship Service. "The  
Original E. T."  
6:00 P.M. Open House at the Parsonage. Come  
and see all the work that has been done.  
Refreshments.  
7:00 P.M. Crystal Band Christmas Concert in  
our sanctuary, sponsored by the Carbondale  
Historical society. Refreshments will follow.

# DATES TO REMEMBER:

Dec. 24: Christmas Eve Candlelight Communion  
Service at 9:00 P.M. in our sanctuary.  
Dec. 25: Our Christmas Cantata, "Love  
Transcending," during the worship service. This  
will be at 10:30 A.M. There will be no Sunday  
Church School.

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# VIDEO

Our sincere thanks to the Berean Builders who  
have purchased a new video camera and TV set for  
the Church. The service last Sunday was taped and is  
available to any who are interested.  
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MISSION TREE

A highlight of the season is our "Mission Tree," which we use to express our love and support for David and Christie Meneely and their family. The theme this year will be a "Card Tree." You are invited to bring a card with your gift enclosed. The cards will be placed on the tree and the money sent to the Meneelys. This is for all ages and our children can remember their children.

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ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Business Meeting will be on January 15th, following the morning worship service. It's not too early to begin to get your reports ready.

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THANK YOU

Rev. Wilson would like to thank all who planned and had a part in his Installation Service last Sunday. We have heard many compliments about it.

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*This was given to the Carbonado News  
on 12/9/88 by SSP for the Community  
Calendar of 12/14/88.*

## Crystal Band to offer Christmas concert

The fifth annual Carbonado concert of traditional and popular Christmas music by the Crystal Band will be presented on Sunday, December 18, at 7 p.m. in the Berean Baptist Church.

The concert, which will take place in the main hall of the church, located at the corner of Lincoln Avenue and North Church Street, is sponsored by the Carbonado Historical Society, and presented as a holiday gift to the community.

The public is invited to attend. There will be no admission charge, and refreshments will be served following the concert.

December 12, 1988

Mr. Dan Karasek  
Box 123  
Fennimore, WI 53809

Dear Mr. Karasek:

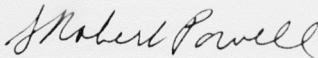
I saw your ad on page 19 of the December 1988, 75th Anniversary Special, issue of POULTRY PRESS.

I would like to buy a setting of standard Black Wyandotte eggs in the spring.

When you do you expect to have eggs for sale? At what price?

A stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience in replying to this inquiry.

Yours truly,



S. Robert Powell  
Post Office Box 161  
Carbondale, PA 18407





Hi S. Robert Powell,

12-20-88

Thank you for inquiry to my ad. As you know it is extremely cold right now but I expect the birds to start laying in February or March. They seem to lay better then plus fertility is better for sending eggs.

I get \$15 per dozen which includes shipping. I have shipped before with real good success. I hope I can be of some help to you. Have a nice holiday season!

Your Friend,

Dan  
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December 12, 1988

Mr. Phil Shank  
R. R. 1  
Wellman, IA 52356

Dear Mr. Shank:

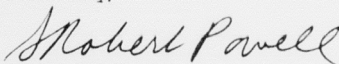
I saw your ad on page 37 of the December 1988 issue of POULTRY PRESS.

I would like to buy a setting of standard Black Wyandotte eggs in the spring.

Do you sell eggs? If so, when do you expect to have some standard Black Wyandotte eggs for sale? At what price?

A stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience in replying to this inquiry.

Yours truly,



S. Robert Powell  
Post Office Box 161  
Carbondale, PA 18407

WYANDOTTES for sale: Bantams Black,  
Blue, Red, Columbian Standard Black,  
Blue, Sarred, Buff, Columbian Phil  
Shank, R. R. 1, Wellman, IA 52356 319-646-  
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## The Analysts' Commentary

### INVESTMENT COMMENT Culture and Capitalism

New Yorkers tend to think of the Big Apple as a place where the pace is a little quicker. Surplus energy often bubbles over in ways that are not always admired by other Americans. Somehow they tolerate us, even if they don't buy our entire act. But if America has a little problem feeling totally comfortable with New York, just think of the problem China will have with Hong Kong in 1997. Hong Kong makes New York look like a drowsy backwater. Hong Kong is capitalism in the raw.

Five years before China swallows Hong Kong (or perhaps Hong Kong swallows China), Europe will go through its own economic integration. Undoubtedly there will be a few cultural problems as well. The end result will not be a 1.1 billion population market, as China is, but it will aggregate about 340 million technologically advanced people. It will be an economic juggernaut. The United States and Canada have beaten both these seminal events by years, now that the outcome of the Canadian election guarantees that the free-trade agreement will be ratified.

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DEAN WITTEK  
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Scranton, PA 18503  
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1-800-982-4393

#2036, November 22, 1988

— very amusing

WE CAN TELL EACH OTHER  
OUR MOST SINCERE,  
PROFOUND THOUGHTS. WHY?

WE'RE FAMILY!

WE CAN GET TOGETHER AFTER  
A LONG TIME APART AND  
STILL HAVE A GOOD TIME! WHY?

WE'RE FAMILY!

WE CAN MAKE FUN OF YOU  
ON YOUR BIRTHDAY AND ABUSE  
YOU AND MOCK YOU. WHY?

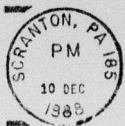


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YOU'RE OLD!

Love,  
Peg (if only)

337 McKinley  
Jersey Pa  
18453



Mr & Robert Powell  
PO  
~~RD~~ Box 160  
Carbondale  
Pa 18407

Whoops! Forgot who lived  
in a PO Box &  
Who lived in an RD Box  
Senility strikes again

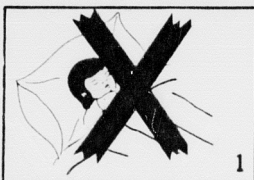


# Automatic Blanket

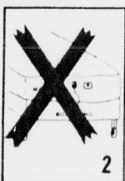
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## SAFETY WARNINGS

**DO NOT USE ELECTRICAL PRODUCTS, MISUSE OF PRODUCT OR  
OTHER ACTIONS MAY CAUSE OVERHEATING, FIRE OR PERSONAL  
INJURY. READ AND FOLLOW THIS INSTRUCTION BOOK BEFORE**



1. Do not use this bedding with an infant, insensitive to heat, or anyone who cannot follow instructions and/or operate the controls.



2. Do not use with damaged cords. Do not betweeen bed slats, mattress or springs, c frame.



3. Do not dry clean this bedding. Cleaning liquid may have a deteriorating effect on the insulation of the heating element. Improper laundering may cause heating wire displacement or damage thermostats which can result in a fire hazard.

4. Do not tuck in the wired area of this bedding.

5. Do not bunch or fold this bedding when in actual use to avoid excessive heating and possible fire.

6. Do not subject the heating wire to damage by pinching, severe flexing or exposure to abrasion. Damaged heating wire may result in possible overheating or fire.

7. Keep the control away from an open window.

8. Do not use pins; they may damage the electric wiring.

9. Be sure this bedding is used only on an A.C. supply circuit of 110-120 volts.

10. Turn off the electric current when this bedding is not in actual use.

11. Blankets are designed only as a covering. Do not lie on top of the blanket with the control "ON" due to overheat hazard.

12. Keep all pets, dogs and cats away from your blanket. This is an electrical appliance that they can damage.

13. Do not use on a waterbed, sofa, bunk bed or mechanically adjustable bed.

14. Do not use more than one electric heating device on the bed at a time - a blanket or mattress pad or heating pad.

15. Use the same size blanket, as stated on the packaging and blanket label, as the corresponding bed size; such as "Twin Size" on a twin bed.

16. If improper operation or damage of this bedding is observed, discontinue its use immediately and consult the manufacturer or dealer regarding its repair.



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DOM 58000076 12 29.99 29.99  
SUBTOTAL 29.99  
PENN. 6 PERCENT TAX 1.80

TOTAL 31.79

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THANK YOU  
TUE 12/13/88 11:33 AM

SEASONS GREETINGS FROM AMES

## IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS DO NOT DESTROY

## IN WARRANTY AND OUT OF WARRANTY SERVICE

**DO NOT ATTEMPT TO REPAIR THIS AUTOMATIC BLANKET OR CONTROL YOURSELF. IT MUST BE RETURNED TO AN AUTHORIZED REPAIR STATION OR THE FACTORY FOR SERVICE.**

**STEP 1.** Write a letter describing the problem completely. Be sure to include the date and place of purchase, your full name and address, and style number. You will find the style number on the Blanket Label at the foot of the Blanket and on the Service Label on the back of the control.

**STEP 2.** Pack your Blanket and Control in a sturdy carton. Wrap the control so it is well protected. Any damage that occurs in transit is not covered by your warranty.

**STEP 3.** Place the letter in the carton.

**STEP 4.** Tape the carton securely.

**STEP 5.** Address the carton to an Authorized Repair Station (below), or:

The Electric Blanket Service Station  
Russell Drive  
P.O. Box 469  
Waynesboro, Mississippi 39367

**STEP 6.** The package must be shipped prepaid. Insure your package when you ship it.

**STEP 7.** Your automatic blanket and control will be returned to you after repair.

### AUTHORIZED REPAIR STATIONS

**CALIFORNIA**  
California Electric Service  
1681 McGaw Avenue  
Irvine, CA 92714

**NEW YORK**  
Electra-Craft, Inc.  
348 W. 42nd Street  
New York, NY 10036

**CALIFORNIA**  
The Blanket Co.  
2781 Clayton Road  
Concord, CA 94519

**NEW JERSEY**  
Electra-Craft, Inc.  
248 Halsey Street  
Newark, NJ 07102

**TEXAS**  
Pearsol Appliance Co.  
3127 Main Street  
Dallas, TX 75226

### FULL FIVE YEAR WARRANTY

This product is warranted for five years from the date of purchase against electrical and mechanical defects in material and workmanship. If the unit fails to operate during this period, return it prepaid to **The Electric Blanket Service Station**, Russell Drive, P.O. Box 469, Waynesboro, Mississippi 39367, for repair or replacement without charge at the manufacturer's option. This warranty gives you specific legal rights, and you may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

**Warrantor: NORTHERN ELECTRIC COMPANY**

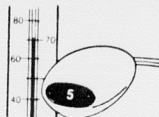
No warranty registration card is packaged together with this blanket or need be completed and returned to validate the warranty. The warranty commences upon the purchase of the blanket.

**In** order to enjoy the full benefits of your automatic blanket, please take the time to read about how the blanket operates. You may be surprised!



- ★ Automatic blankets don't really **add** perceptible heat. (That's why an operating blanket may not feel warm to the hand.) Rather, they work by **protecting the body from excessive heat loss**. They are not at all like heating pads.
- ★ The blanket control actually **responds to room temperature**. If the room temperature drops during the night (and it generally does), the control will automatically call for additional heat in the blanket to maintain the warmth level you've selected.

- ★ In a **warm room** (say, above 72°F), the control may not call for **any** heat below a control setting of 5 or more. Don't be hesitant to turn it up!
- ★ The blanket maintains its selected warmth level by **cycling on and off**. In a 70°F room, for instance, with the control set at 5, the blanket might be on only about 25% of the time. It works much like your oven which turns on and off automatically to maintain a constant temperature.



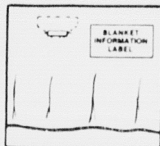
- ★ **Place the control wisely!** Place the control near the bed in a place that is neither hotter nor colder than the room itself. Don't place it on a radiator or radiant-heated floor - it will "think" the room is hot! Don't place it in a cold draft or by an open window - it will "think" the room is cold! Be sure air is circulating around the control - don't place it under a pillow.

## MAKING YOUR BED

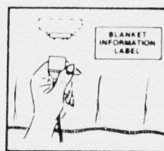
### SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

- ★ Make sure the power cord is disconnected from the outlet whenever you connect or disconnect your blanket.
- ★ Make sure cords are not crossed, trapped or pinched between bed slats, mattress or springs, or against wall, footboard or bed frame.
- ★ Be sure not to use any covering heavier than a percale sheet or the like over your blanket while it is in use - an overheat situation could result.

1. Place your blanket on the bed. The Blanket Information Label, located next to the male terminal plug at the foot of the bed, should be facing outward.

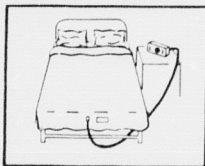


2. Connect the control cord with the female terminal plug at the foot of the bed. Make sure there is no gap between the plugs.



### 3A. TWIN AND FULL SIZE SINGLE CONTROL BLANKETS

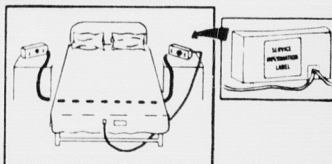
Place your control on either side of your bed.



### 3B. FULL AND QUEEN SIZE DUAL CONTROL BLANKETS

Place the control with the Service Information Label on the same side of the bed as the Blanket Information Label. If you reverse the controls, the blanket will not operate properly.

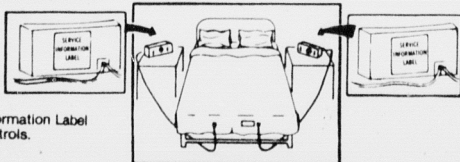
**NOTE:** Interconnecting cord between dual controls should be run under the bed, NOT between mattress and box spring.



### 3C. KING SIZE BLANKETS

Make sure that each control is plugged into the nearest terminal plug at the foot of the bed. Do not cross the cords in any way.

**NOTE:** A Service Information Label appears on both controls.



4. Plug the power cord into a "live" 110-120 volt outlet.
5. If your blanket has control hangers, keep controls within easy reach by hanging them on the headboard or bed frame. Four slots in the back of the control accommodate a pair of hangers. Attach as shown in the illustration at right.



## ENJOY YOUR BLANKET

Your control works like the thermostat on your home heating system. Turn the control switch to ON; an indicator light will glow. To regulate warmth, turn the dial from "low" until you hear a faint click, then dial one number higher. The higher the number, the warmer the temperature. Select the setting you find most comfortable—some people like "Hi". The faint clicking during operation assures you the control is automatically maintaining the temperature you select.

Do not place the control near a window or heat source. The control will think the room is colder or warmer than it actually is and will make your blanket too hot or too cold.

**ALWAYS** turn your blanket control **OFF** in the morning when arising or when the bed is not occupied.



**IMPORTANT:** To avoid dangerous hot spots, do not bunch blanket. Do not double fold a sheet over the top of the blanket, or double the blanket back over itself. Do not leave books on the bed. Do not leave a spread on the foot of the bed. Pets should not lie on the bed. Make sure the control is turned off when the bed is not occupied.

★ An automatic blanket is not like a heating pad. Your new automatic blanket is designed to save energy and give you gentle, soothing warmth, **NOT** the pain relieving heat of a heating pad.

## WASHDAY

**DO NOT DRY CLEAN!** Dry cleaning solvents will damage the blanket wiring! **WASH** your blanket, following all instructions carefully. Disconnect control cord before washing.

### DON'T

- use bleach or dry cleaning fluids
- use iron blanket
- twist or wring vigorously
- use mothballs or sprays
- use wringer
- turn blanket ON until it is completely dry

**NOTE:** For best results either a washer or dryer type softener is recommended.

**PRESOAK** for 15 minutes in mild soap and lukewarm water.

### MACHINE WASH

In mild soap and lukewarm water on delicate or gentle cycle for 2 minutes. **DO NOT USE BLEACH.** Rinse in fresh, lukewarm water. Spin dry. Gently stretch to original size. **DO NOT PUT THROUGH A WRINGER.**

or

### HAND WASH

In mild, soapy water. Squeeze soap suds through a few times. Rinse in fresh water.

### MACHINE DRY

**CAUTION: DO NOT USE COMMERCIAL DRYERS OR DRYERS AT YOUR LOCAL LAUNDROMAT.** Preheat dryer on low temperature setting for 2 minutes. Add automatic blanket and tumble for 10 minutes. Remove while still damp and **gently stretch to original size.** Air dry over parallel lines or a shower rail.

or

### LINE DRY

**DO NOT USE CLOTHES PINS. FOR BEST RESULTS:** Air dry over two parallel lines. Blanket may be hung over a shower rod if parallel lines are not available. **Gently stretch to original size.**

**SPECIAL NOTE: IF WASHING OR DRYING INSTRUCTIONS ARE NOT FOLLOWED, EXCESSIVE SHRINKAGE WILL OCCUR AND MAY PRESENT A FIRE HAZARD.**

## TROUBLE SHOOTING

★ My blanket doesn't seem to be heating. Is it defective? Probably not. There are several things you should check:

1. Check outlet and all connections.
2. Be sure wired portion of blanket is not folded or crushed under mattress, bed slat or against wall or footboard.
3. Room temperature may be too high. The control will not operate in a room much above 72°F (22°C).
4. Check to be sure control is not in a hot place such as on or near a radiator.
5. If you've checked all these and your blanket still fails to heat, try the following simple test to see if your blanket is still operating:
  - A. Fold blanket (see illustration).
  - B. Connect control to blanket and plug into a live outlet.
  - C. Turn control to "high" and wait five to seven minutes.
  - D. Put your hand between the folds and you should feel warmth.
  - E. Remember, the automatic blanket is not a heating pad. It will not feel hot to the touch when laid out flat in a normal manner.
  - F. This folded position is an abnormal condition. Do not continue this test for more than seven minutes.



- ★ The control makes a "clicking" sound. This is normal. You know the thermostat is working as it clicks on and off.
- ★ My control isn't regulating my side of the blanket. Dual controls frequently get switched. The control with the Service Label operates the label side of the blanket. Label on blanket should be facing up, on the bed.

★ Improper operation: If blanket does not function properly, discontinue use immediately.

**DO NOT** attempt to make any internal adjustments to the product. See the Service Label on the blanket for more information.



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1. ☒ Mr. ☐ Mrs. ☐ Ms. ☐ Miss.

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First Name Initial Last Name  
SILAS K POWELL

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POST OFFICE BOX 161

City State Zip  
CARBONDALE PA 18407

2. Date of Purchase: 1/21/88  
Month Day Year

3. Automatic Bedcovering Purchased:

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Sweet Dreams        | 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Warmrest                |
| 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Enchantment         | 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Legacy                  |
| 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Classic             | 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Other Automatic Blanket |
| 4. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Elegance | 8. <input type="checkbox"/> Bedwarmer Mattress Pad  |

10. Date of birth of person whose name appears above:

1/2 1943  
Month Year

11. Marital Status:

1. ☐ Married 3. ☐ Widowed  
2. ☐ Divorced/Separated 4. ☒ Single/Never Married

12. Occupation

	You	Spouse
Homemaker	1	1
Professional/Technical	2	2
Executive/Administrator	3	3
Middle Management	4	4
Sales/Marketing	5	5
Clerical	6	6
Craftworker	7	7
Machine Oper./Laborer	8	8
Service Worker	9	9
Retired	10	10
Student	11	11
Self Employed/Business Owner	12	12

4. What member(s) of your household was primarily responsible for the decision to purchase this Automatic Bedcovering?

1. ☐ Male head of household 4. ☐ Other household member  
2. ☒ Female head of household 5. ☐ Received as gift from person outside household  
3. ☐ Both male and female head of household

5. Where was this product purchased?

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Received as a Gift                          | 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Catalog showroom       |
| 2. <input type="checkbox"/> General Merchandise (Sears, Penneys, Wards) | 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Specialty store        |
| 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Department store                 | 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Hardware store         |
| 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Discount store                              | 8. <input type="checkbox"/> Military base store-PX |
|   | 9. <input type="checkbox"/> Other                  |

6. How did the purchaser first become aware of this Automatic Bedcovering?

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Magazine advertising    | 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Salesperson's recommendation |
| 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper advertising   | 7. <input type="checkbox"/> In-store display             |
| 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Television advertising  | 8. <input type="checkbox"/> Packaging                    |
| 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Radio advertising       | 9. <input type="checkbox"/> Catalog                      |
| 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Friend's recommendation |  |

7. What factor(s) most influenced the purchase of this Automatic Bedcovering? (Check maximum of three.)

- |  |  |
|--|--|
| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Price                            | 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Single control feature   |
| 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Warranty                         | 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Dual control feature     |
| 3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brand name reputation | 8. <input type="checkbox"/> Quality                  |
| 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Color availability               | 9. <input type="checkbox"/> Home energy conservation |
| 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Only brand in store              |  |

8. Prior to purchasing this automatic Bedcovering, have you previously owned an Automatic Bedcovering?

1. ☐ No. This is the first Automatic Bedcovering owned.  
2. ☒ Yes. I previously owned an Automatic Bedcovering.  
This new Automatic Bedcovering:  
1. ☐ It is a replacement for an Automatic Blanket  
2. ☐ It is a replacement for an Automatic Mattress Pad  
3. ☐ It is an additional bedcovering in my household

9. My previous Automatic Bedcovering... (Check only one)

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> is still in use in household | 5. <input type="checkbox"/> was given to someone outside my household |
| 2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no longer worked  | 6. <input type="checkbox"/> was worn                                  |
| 3. <input type="checkbox"/> was fabric worn              | 7. <input type="checkbox"/> didn't previously own one                 |
| 4. <input type="checkbox"/> was outdated                 |   |

13. What are the ages of all children living at home?

☒ NONE  
Under 1 ☐ 5 yrs ☐ 10 yrs ☐ 15 yrs  
☐ 1 yr ☐ 6 yrs ☐ 11 yrs ☐ 16 yrs  
☐ 2 yrs ☐ 7 yrs ☐ 12 yrs ☐ 17 yrs  
☐ 3 yrs ☐ 8 yrs ☐ 13 yrs ☐ 18 yrs  
☐ 4 yrs ☐ 9 yrs ☐ 14 yrs ☐ 19 +

14. Which group describes your annual family income?

1. <input type="checkbox"/> Under \$14,999	7. <input type="checkbox"/> \$40,000-44,999
2. <input type="checkbox"/> \$15,000-19,999	8. <input type="checkbox"/> \$45,000-49,999
3. <input type="checkbox"/> \$20,000-24,999	9. <input type="checkbox"/> \$50,000-54,999
4. <input type="checkbox"/> \$25,000-29,999	10. <input type="checkbox"/> \$55,000-59,999
5. <input type="checkbox"/> \$30,000-34,999	11. <input type="checkbox"/> \$60,000-64,999
6. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$35,000-39,999	12. <input type="checkbox"/> \$100,000 & over

15. Which of the following do you use regularly?

1. ☐ American Express, Diners Club, Carte Blanche  
2. ☐ Bank credit card (MasterCard, Visa)  
3. ☐ Gas, Dept. store, etc. credit cards  
4. ☐ Airline club/frequent flyer program  
5. ☒ None of the above

16. For your primary residence, do you:

1. ☐ Own a house?  
2. ☐ Rent a house?  
3. ☐ Rent an apartment?  
4. ☐ Own a townhouse or condominium?

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17. To help us understand our customers' lifestyles, please indicate the interests and activities in which you or your spouse enjoy participating on a regular basis:

- |   |  |   |
|---|--|---|
| 01 <input type="checkbox"/> Bicycle Touring/Racing    | 20 <input type="checkbox"/> Automotive Work                | 39 <input type="checkbox"/> Coin/Stamp Collecting             |
| 02 <input type="checkbox"/> Golf                      | 21 <input type="checkbox"/> Electronics                    | 40 <input type="checkbox"/> Collectibles/Collections          |
| 03 <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Fitness/Exercise | 22 <input type="checkbox"/> Home Workshop/Do-It-Yourself   | 41 <input type="checkbox"/> Our Nation's Heritage             |
| 04 <input type="checkbox"/> Running/Jogging           | 23 <input type="checkbox"/> Motorcycles                    | 42 <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate Investments           |
| 05 <input type="checkbox"/> Snow Skiing Frequently    | 24 <input type="checkbox"/> Recreational Vehicles          | 43 <input type="checkbox"/> Stock/Bond Investments            |
| 06 <input type="checkbox"/> Tennis Frequently         | 25 <input type="checkbox"/> Stereo, Records/Tapes/Disco    | 44 <input type="checkbox"/> Veterans Benefits/Programs        |
| 07 <input type="checkbox"/> Bowling                   | 26 <input type="checkbox"/> avid Book Reading              | 45 <input type="checkbox"/> Entering Sweepstakes              |
| 08 <input type="checkbox"/> Camping/Hiking            | 27 <input type="checkbox"/> Bible/Devotional Reading       | 46 <input type="checkbox"/> Home Video Games                  |
| 09 <input type="checkbox"/> Fishing Frequently        | 28 <input type="checkbox"/> Current Affairs/Politics       | 47 <input type="checkbox"/> Household Pets (cats, dogs, etc.) |
| 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Hunting/Shooting          | 29 <input type="checkbox"/> Health Foods/Vitamins          | 48 <input type="checkbox"/> Money Making Opportunities        |
| 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Power Boating             | 30 <input type="checkbox"/> House Plants                   | 49 <input type="checkbox"/> Science Fiction                   |
| 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Sailing                   | 31 <input type="checkbox"/> Photography                    | 50 <input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife/Environmental Issues     |
| 13 <input type="checkbox"/> Crafts                    | 32 <input type="checkbox"/> Attend Cultural/Arts Events    | 51 <input type="checkbox"/> Career-Oriented Activities        |
| 14 <input type="checkbox"/> Crossword Puzzles         | 33 <input type="checkbox"/> Charities/Volunteer Activities | 52 <input type="checkbox"/> Personal/Home Computers           |
| 15 <input type="checkbox"/> Grandchildren             | 34 <input type="checkbox"/> Fashion Clothing               | 53 <input type="checkbox"/> Science/New Technology            |
| 16 <input type="checkbox"/> Needlework/Knitting       | 35 <input type="checkbox"/> Fine Art/Antiques              | 54 <input type="checkbox"/> Self Improvement                  |
| 17 <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor Gardening         | 36 <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Travel                 | 55 <input type="checkbox"/> VCR Recording/Viewing             |
| 18 <input type="checkbox"/> Sewing                    | 37 <input type="checkbox"/> Gourmet Cooking/Fine Foods     | 56 <input type="checkbox"/> Watching Cable TV                 |
| 19 <input type="checkbox"/> Walking for Health        | 38 <input type="checkbox"/> Wines                          | 57 <input type="checkbox"/> Watching Sports on TV             |

18. From the above list, please indicate the numbers representing the 3 most important activities for:

You

13, 51, 44, 11

Spouse

1, 1, 1, 1

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12/13/88 - the past two days have been  
difficult: sudden and severe cold weather  
swept into the area on Sunday night  
and on Monday morning (12/12) it  
was  $15^{\circ}$  below zero  $^{\circ}$ Fahrenheit here  
at Elkdale. The cold was too much  
for the Red Pyle bantam Chick and  
the spraddle legged Guinea Keet -  
both of which died. Neither was  
especially robust, and the cold did  
them in. No other Chicks are fine,  
or are the adults. On the 12th,  
the layer produced 9 eggs - a  
very good number indeed. I  
have got to plan on more time in  
the morning now that I have  
so many water dishes to tend to.  
Given the temperature, the

Water was freezing in the duster as soon as I poured it in. The quail continue to sit out in the middle of their yard throughout all this cold, which is truly extraordinary. We human beings are such frail creatures compared to our feathered friends. Like the quail, the tipplers take the most bone-chilling cold completely in stride. The chickens are very tough as well, although they are not as tough as the quail and the tipplers. Every time that such a cold spell sweeps into the area, my first response is to immediately make plans for a completely insulated and heated

henhouse. I don't like having to worry about the well being of my pets. Possibly in the Spring and Summer such an insulated building will become a reality — possibly a structure 8' x 16' x 8'. Such a structure will be the subject of winter dreams and plans.

On the morning of 12/12, CAHS called and asked me to substitute for Mr. Roe. I got up and dressed and looked after the very cold birds (and a cold SKP) and went out to leave at 7:50 A.M. — the Car would not start! Just a slight groan as I turned the Key. I prepared to flag down

Larry Chesnick on his way to CAHS;  
 no sight of him. I phoned the  
 Emergency Road Service of AAA—  
 "the Motor Club", as people say.  
 Four and  $\frac{1}{2}$  hours later (!!!) they  
 arrived — from White's garage  
 in Clipped! I was almost beside  
 myself with anger. I will do  
 a strong letter to the AAA about  
 the shoddy emergency service.  
 When the garage people finally  
 arrived, the <sup>SRP</sup> car was quickly  
 started with jumper cables and  
 I was on my way to CAHS—  
 where I got credit for  $\frac{1}{2}$  day—  
 very nice of Paul Kaczmarik.



The 4-hour wait for the garage people was frustrating, maddening, exhausting, painful, debilitating. Ordinarily I am not undone by such experiences, but I did have some difficulty "coping" (as one says) on 12/12/88 — my birthday or it turns out.

Coping with my birthday is a very easy thing for me to do; coping with the hopeless incompetents in the AAA is another matter.

Arrived at CAHS for the afternoon's classes and managed to count the SOC money during the afternoon, and in so doing, managed to re-

establish a certain degree of normalcy in my life.

- 7 PM

Sunday - 12/11 - Trinity Baptist Church;

- 7:30 P.M.

Monday - 12/12 - Lutherwood

Crystal Band concert - with SRP as Master of Ceremonies. "Ride, Pagliacci..." The music rescued me from my own personal calamities. Howard Yepsen mentioned to Larry Hughes that it was my birthday on Monday, and when Larry took over conducting the concert, he announced to the audience and Band that it was my birthday and led them all in singing "Happy Birthday" &

S.R.P. What a surprise, and a pleasant one at that. I blushed, and was told afterward, and stood up and thanked them, and they then continued the concert. On my way to meet Howard for the ride down to the concert, I stopped at the Russell Homestead and Mom gave me a large bag of Hershey Kisses and \$25 cash. Very nice. Mom's father, Grandpa Russell, always carried Hershey Kisses with him and gave them to me kids. I always think of Grandpa Russell when I see Hershey Kisses.

after the Crystal Band concert I returned to Eckdale and prepared for another below zero night —

after a very diffenet and draining day, I crawled up to bed and prepared to escape into blessed sleep. To my great consternation/annoyance, the electric blanket did not function at all.

What a day! I piled on the blankets and my winter coat on top of the entire mountain of coverings and somehow managed to fall asleep.

CHHS called <sup>at 6:30 AM.</sup> and I went there on 12/13/88 for Mr. McMyne. What a schedule! I had classes for the 1st and 2nd periods and then 4 periods free and then two final classes.

During the free time, I drove to Vac Way <sup>in Scranton</sup> and had my electric

blanket checked out — the wires 2425 in the blanket are damaged and



I was told that they could not be <sup>9.</sup>  
fixed. OK. I returned to Carbondale  
and went to the Amer Department  
Store and purchased a new electric  
blanket for \$29. I returned then to  
CAHS and even had enough time  
to go to lunch before the final two  
classes. What a pleasure to have  
an easy and normal day after  
yesterday's travel. Returned to  
Elkdale and found all to be very  
well and that put me in an  
even better frame of mind. In  
a concerted push to return to normal,  
I prepared a lovely dinner for  
myself - ham and Chinese  
noodles - and made a pot of tea



and settled in. I have just now completed additional winterization work here in "the box" — more insulation around the door; I have also made my bed with the flannel sheets that Cousin Peg gave me recently, and have installed the new electric blanket.

12/14/88 — LHS — Mr. Korczakowski  
 It should be an easy day. He has a very decent schedule. Slept beautifully on my new flannel sheets and under my new electric blanket.

I was in bed by 9 P.M. and read for a while in Halcyon's magnificent, <sup>new</sup> biography of George Bernard Shaw.

# Neighborhoods

## Calendar of Events

### CARBONDALE

The annual Carbondale concert of traditional and popular Christmas music by the Crystal Band will be presented on Sunday, Dec. 18, at 7 p.m., at Berean Baptist Church. The public is invited and there is no admission. The concert is sponsored by the Carbondale Historical Society.

## Crystal Band to Perform on Sunday

### Upvalley Bureau

CARBONDALE — The Crystal Band will present a concert of traditional and popular Christmas music Sunday at 7 p.m. in the Berean Baptist Church Hall, corner of Lincoln Avenue and North Church Street, Carbondale.

The Rev. Gordon Wilson, pastor of Berean Baptist Church, said the

concert is being sponsored by the Carbondale Historical Society and is a gift to the Carbondale community.

The concert is free. Following the concert, refreshments will be served in the church hall.

Originally organized in 1879 in the Petersburg section of Scranton as a boys brass band, the Crystal Band has provided the opportunity for

amateur and professional musicians to develop their musical abilities under capable leadership. The band consists of 50 members who range in

age from teenagers to octogenarians. Membership in the band is open to anyone interested in playing concert band music. The band rehearses Mondays from 7:30 to 9:15 p.m. in the Trinity Baptist Church, 1546

Monsey Ave., Scranton, from October through May.

Many of the communities in Northeastern Pennsylvania are represented in the Crystal Band. Manny Winters and Howard A. Yepson, two well-known residents of Carbondale, have performed in the percussion section of the band for many years.

Among the other members of the band from the upvalley area are: Melissa Hartmann, flute; Marise Segle, clarinet; Loriam Valentine, flute; Sheryl Oleski, clarinet; Gerald Kaminski, saxophone; Bob Bishop, saxophone; Lavina Garcia, clarinet; and Robert Bednarczyk, trumpet.

H. Earl Brink has conducted the Crystal Band since 1988. Associate Conductor Larry Hughes will share the conducting duties for Sunday's concert.

The Christmas concert in Berean Baptist Church is one of five concerts that will be presented by the band this year. The band will perform Monday at 7:30 a.m. at the Lackawanna County Long-Term Care Center.

Since 1983, S. Robert Powell, president of the Carbondale Historical Society, has served as the master of ceremonies for all concerts of the Crystal Band. Dr. Powell will serve the band in that capacity at this Sunday's concert.

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## Berean Baptist Church to observe last Sunday of Advent with service

The last Sunday of Advent will be observed at the December 18 services of the Berean Baptist Church, Lincoln Avenue and Church Street.

At the 11 a.m. worship service, pastor Gordon S. Wilson will speak on the subject, "The Original E.T." The senior choir will sing the anthem, "Ring the Bells." Joan Wilson will be soloist singing "Night of Nights."

The children of the kindergarten will be lighting the advent candle. Teachers are Amber Brady, Carol

Alvero and Marsie Seigle. Songs will be, "Here We Come to Bethlehem," "Mary Had a Baby," and "Jesus Loves Me."

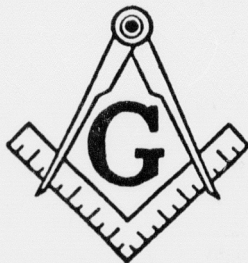
The fifth annual Christmas concert of the Crystal Band will take place in the church sanctuary at 7

p.m.

The band consists of more than 40 members and will be conducted by H. Earl Brink. Larry Hughes is associate conductor. S. Robert Powell will be master of ceremonies.

*Submitted by Wilson.*

Christmas Party  
&  
Covered-Dish Dinner



At the Lodge, 23-25 Salem Avenue  
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## Crystal Band Concert scheduled December 18

The fifth annual Carbondale concert of traditional and popular Christmas music by the Crystal Band will be presented on Sunday, December 18, at 7 p.m. in the Berean Baptist Church.

The concert, which will take place in the main hall of the church, located at the corner of Lincoln Avenue and North Church Street, is sponsored by the Carbondale Historical Society, and presented as a holiday gift to the community.

The public is invited to attend. There will be no admission charge, and refreshments will be served following the concert.



## Fifth Annual CHRISTMAS CONCERT by the CRYSTAL BAND

H. Earl Brink  
Conductor  
Larry Hughes  
Assistant Conductor

SUNDAY AT 7:00 PM  
DECEMBER 18, 1988

Berean Baptist Church  
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Carbondale

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*Stanley Gonzalez*

FTA SECRETARY

12/14/88 - 220 P.M.

A useful and productive day of re-grouping at LHS; a necessary and gratifying experience. Tomorrow I will not accept any substitute teaching calls because I will devote the day to making final preparations for the Historical Society's 1988 Annual Meeting and Christmas Party, 6-10 P.M., at the Corner Bistro tomorrow. Everything must come off effortlessly and beautifully and I will do a fair amount of footwork during the day tomorrow to make sure that it does. About 90 of Carbonado's leading citizens will be present and SRP will be in charge. I must be in top form and then again on Saturday/Sunday, I will have to do a lot of work to make sure that the Crystal Band concert in the Baptist Church comes off beautifully. Hopefully, someone will call me to substitute on Friday.



[12/16/88]

No! We miss seeing you  
 fellows. Hope this finds you all  
 well. We are doing pretty well  
 except we have arthritis in our  
 right hips. I went to Orlando  
 to a hip surgeon. He thinks it  
 too risky to operate so he gave  
 me a Rx for Motrin, a foreign  
 pain killer. It does relieve the  
 pain but it's hard on the  
 digestive system, just like  
 aspirin. We go out a lot &  
 eat out. Let's see market  
 & garage sales.

They keep changing Lort's  
 in that so I've had a hard  
 time dealing with them. The  
 new one is sending him to come  
 down & talk with them. I think  
 that they will deal this time. It  
 seems to be a state statute  
 that was enacted aimed to them.  
 Will keep you advised.

Best Wishes. Norman & Alice [Lynn]

Merry Christmas  
 and a Happy New Year

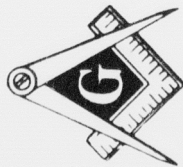
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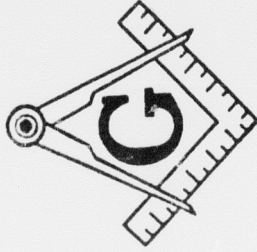
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**LIVING PAST MASTERS**

1931	Alfred P. Wells	1967	Robert W. Parry
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1945	Warren D. Gaury	1970	Paul A. Thomas
1947	Austin T. Barrows	1971	Robert J. Gentile
1956	Julius Henry	1974	Ronald A. Comunale
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**CARBONDALE LODGE NO. 249****Free and Accepted Masons**

Constituted September 11, 1850 - A.L. 5850



Stated Meetings  
First Wednesday of each month at 7:30 P.M.  
Lodge Room, Masonic Temple  
23 - 25 Salem Avenue  
Carbondale, PA 18407

12/16/88 - The 1988 CHS&M Annual meeting and Christmas Party was last night and it was an unqualified success on all accounts - and a personal triumph for SRP. At least 80 very distinguished members and guests and friends were in the main dining room at the Corner Bistro in Carbondale and everyone had a grand time. SRP, in frock coat and top hat and wearing white gloves, greeted everyone at the door and that went over very well with everyone. No of the many, many extra touches of elegance that made the evening the success that it was. Mom and Dad were present and they had a good time and that gave

me great pleasure. The dining room was beautifully decorated and prepared by the table committee, consisting of Eleanor Spellman, Rita Scott, Jean Calville and Gwen Delfino: Centerpieces, white <sup>linen</sup> napkins, dinner mints. It made the difference.

An ordinary dinner party became an extra special & elegant dinner party. We had more in attendance this year than last (I believe that we had 79 persons present) — a wonderful success for the organization. At the conclusion of the business meeting, SRP did a slide show of about 40 Carbondale views and it was a rip-roaring

success. I don't think I have ever had <sup>a</sup> more attentive and informed / responsive audience. They paid very careful attention and were mesmerized by the "Show" — for a large number of the persons present, the show brought back for them the years of their youth in Carbondale and naturally they loved it.

Once again, the fruits of very thorough and careful planning paid off — the evening simply took care of itself. Everything had been thought out & taken care of well in advance and so everything came off like clockwork.



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The evening ended officially at about 930 P.M. When I finished the slide show. A fairly intense 20-30 minutes of greeting and congratulations then took place and that was that.

Rita Scott & Eleanor Spellman & DW P & JVB & SRP and John Klunkiewicz and Hank Copfuter adjourned to the bar portion of the restaurant and re-laxed/re-grouped. Rita & Eleanor were in a very holiday mood & we <sup>all</sup> laughed <sup>a lot</sup> and had a grand time.

Rita, as it turns out, was wearing a pair of very "decadent" nylon stockings (seam & butterfly just above the heels) — very amusing. What a pleasure to be in a dining room full of

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people all of whom are dressed in their finest fur, feathers, linen, and such. An elegant evening out — and a great pleasure.

SRP — top hat, frock coat, white gloves — black tie; greeted everyone at the door.

SRP — tuxedo jacket, semi-Centennial Carbondale medal on blue ribbon — black tie  
dinner costume

More will be written down about this grand evening in the next day or two.

TABLE A

Robert Powell  
Hank Loftus  
John Klimkiewicz

John Bberniak  
Barbara Vepson  
Howard Vepson

90 yrs old  
per week

TABLE 2 [10]

Doctor Coleman  
Mary Coleman  
Flo Loftus Farrell  
Nan Loftus  
Mary McMahon  
Tom Killeen  
Helen Peters  
Joe Pascoe  
Joe Moro  
Charlotte Moro

TABLE 3 [10]

Bob Martin  
Rose Martin  
Henrietta Touch  
Mary McGinley  
Margaret Malone  
Joe Carney  
Mary Jo Carney Paul  
Monsignor Purcell  
Timmy Singer  
Claire Loftus

TABLE 4 [9]

Mr. Pepson  
Mrs. Pepson  
Ted Daniels  
Mrs. Daniels  
Mike Delfino  
Gwen Delfino  
Don Powell  
Kitty Kelly  
Eleanor Spellman

TABLE 5 [10]

Alys Morrison  
Fred Stenson  
Fran Wrenn  
Nora Wrenn  
Louise Speicher  
Betty Dempsey  
Rita Burke  
Tom Burke  
Mr. Hiddlestone  
Mrs. Hiddlestone

Jack

Nancy

TABLE 6 [9]

Helen Powell  
Walter Powell  
Bob Vandenberg  
Shirley McMyne  
Bob Price  
Ann Price  
Rita Scott  
Marlene Caudulla  
Warren Mertz

Hoppy  
Frank  
Travel  
agency

TABLE 7 [8]

Dr. Mogerman  
+ Susan Richard  
Dr. Mogerman  
Mrs. Mogerman  
Jean Colville  
Ken Colville  
Mr. Drake  
Mrs. Drake

Kuzara

Wendy  
CO

TABLE 8 [8]

Mr. Boyle  
Mrs. Boyle  
Kathy Mullen  
Dan Cook  
Tom Caswell  
Nan Walters  
Susan Stephens  
Shirley Zaborowski

Mr. R  
Community  
Dad & Thos  
Inf Eastern  
" "  
Pam  
Bene

TABLE 9 [9]

Mildred Broderick  
John Reuther  
Janice Totsky  
Alice Donorovich  
Basil Telep  
Mrs. Telep  
John Kieran  
General Hosp.  
General Hosp.

Debbie  
Sachnick  
Gene criss



Seating ever  
and menu  
Chooser —  
all cards  
on a  
welcoming  
table near  
main  
entrance.

Everyone at the dinner last  
night who had Chicken  
Parmesan had a green tree  
like the one with their  
name on it on a <sup>welcome</sup> table at  
the door. The #1 means  
that Robert Powell was  
to be seated at table  
#1. And so on, with  
roast beef (a wreath) & Ham (a sock)



12-16-88 - Mountain View High School

1142 A.M. - I have just now returned from lunch. As it turns out, I was very hungry and this is what was just served for lunch:

- \$1.25
- slice of pizza
  - slice of Stromboli + pizza sauce
  - bowl of vegetable / chicken soup
  - salad green + cheese
  - cubed pears
  - macintosh apple
  - pint of milk

Most amazing. Very respectable food. Most of the kids only take the pizza + Stromboli + that's that; but SRP has one of everything. As I always do here, I sat down in the Cafeteria with the kids. I have no interest in submitting myself to the petty-ness of the faculty room.



as I stood by the door of Mrs. Jackson's room at no point this morning, Joshua Seaman and Joshua Urda passed by. Urda does not yet know me well enough to say hello, but Joshua Seaman does & did nod in my direction. Both are about 9th grade (maybe 10th) and both are neighbors of mine in Elkdale.

Mr. <sup>the principal</sup> Moon came by earlier this hour and asked me to cover for another teacher during my free period — next period. I don't really like being exploited in that manner but I have no choice in the matter and said I would be happy to do so.

The sun is out, beautifully, and it  
 warm my heart to realize that it  
 is shining down upon and warming  
 my precious birds in their respective  
 coops in Elddale — at this very  
 minute. The night was cold but  
 not brutally so — the temperature  
 in the kitchen at 6 A.M. (when Mr.  
 Moss phoned) was about  $20^{\circ}\text{F}$ , and  
 that means it was about  $10^{\circ}\text{F}$  out-  
 side — <sup>inside/outside</sup> there is not always a  $10^{\circ}$   
 variation, but on such a day as  
 this, there would be. I hope that  
 tomorrow's weather is comparable  
 to today's so that my homosters  
 with the birds on Saturday morning  
 will be a pleasure.

" And 'tis an ill wind that does not blow someone good ... " —

Who should walk into the room of Virginia John at the end of 5th Period but Clyde Seaman, who gave out a friendly "Hello Robert." It appears that he has lost some weight, and that is good. He has always been more relaxed and friendly than Joshua. I'm sure that there will be some interesting after-school reporting on the day's activities when Joshua & Clyde return to the Seaman's farm this afternoon.

12/16/88  
SRP gave blood.

PLEASE GIVE  
BLOOD AS A  
CHRISTMAS GIFT  
+ American Red Cross

**I Promise To Give Blood**

Date **DEC 16 1988**

Place **ST ROSE CHURCH FAMILY CENTER**

Time **12:45 10:45**



### Some Important Information About A New Hepatitis Test

The American Red Cross has begun using an additional test, anti-HBc, to reduce the chance that transfusion recipients may get hepatitis. This test identifies persons who have come in contact with the virus that causes hepatitis B. The blood of these persons may be more likely to transmit another type of hepatitis, called non-A, non-B hepatitis, and therefore cannot be used for transfusion.

On the other hand, the plasma (the liquid part of the blood) of persons with anti-HBc is very important because it contains antibodies that can protect against hepatitis B. When special plasma products are made from plasma with anti-HBc, the products are safer because of these antibodies.

About 2% of healthy donors have anti-HBc. The presence of anti-HBc is not believed to be important to their future health. In fact, these donors remain eligible to donate blood, and their plasma is very special.

If your donation tests positive for anti-HBc, we will not inform you unless the medical director feels that it may be important for your own health. Your red cells would be thrown away, but your plasma would still be used in special plasma derivative products.

If you have any questions about this test, please feel free to ask one of our nurses.

*Thank you for your donation!*

**Blood Services**  
**Northeastern Pennsylvania Region**  
29 New Commerce Boulevard  
P.O. Box 420  
Wilkes-Barre, PA 18703-0420  
(717) 823-7164

### Did You Know... OUT OF 100 DONORS\*

**34** are "O" positive      **33** are "A" positive      **10** are "B" positive      **4** are "AB" positive

81 OUT OF 100 HAVE RH POSITIVE BLOOD  
ONLY 19 HAVE RH NEGATIVE

**8** are "O" negative      **7** are "A" negative      **3** are "B" negative      **1** is "AB" negative

\*Based on Northeastern Pennsylvania Region Donors

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## AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD SERVICES

*You must do this procedure or we cannot collect your blood (or plasma).*

AIDS can be spread through blood and plasma. Therefore, blood or plasma products from people who are at risk for getting AIDS and spreading the AIDS virus must not be transfused to another person.

### YOU ARE AT RISK FOR GETTING AIDS AND SPREADING THE AIDS VIRUS IF:

- You are a man who has had sex with another man since 1977, *even one time*.
- You have ever taken illegal drugs by needle.
- You are a native of Haiti, or a Sub-Saharan African country, or an island close to a Sub-Saharan African country, who has entered the United States since 1977.
- You have AIDS or one of its signs or symptoms (listed in the pamphlet, *What You Must Know Before Giving Blood*).
- You have ever had a positive test for antibodies to HIV (formerly called HTLV-III), showing past exposure to the AIDS virus.
- You have hemophilia and have received clotting factor concentrates since 1977.
- You are or have been the sex partner of any person described above since 1977.
- You are a woman or man who is now or has been a prostitute since 1977.
- You are a woman who has had sex with a male prostitute or a man who has had sex with a female prostitute within the last six months.

If any of the above information applies to you, you must remove the DO NOT TRANSFUSE label below and put it on your donor registration form following the directions you were given.

If none of the above information applies to you, you must remove the TRANSFUSE label below and put it on your donor registration form.

These labels are confidential and cannot be read by anyone at the donation site.

FORM CUE BC (5/80)

----- TEAR HERE -----

Please take this with you after you have put the correct label on the donor registration form. If you have put the TRANSFUSE label on the card and decide later in the day that your blood (or plasma product) should NOT be transfused to another person, please call the telephone number below as soon as possible.

**TRANSFUSE**

**DO NOT TRANSFUSE**

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DO NOT  
TRANSFUSE

1-800-432-8045, 823-7154 in Wilkes-Barre  
893-3520 in Scranton

(Telephone Number)

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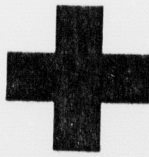
Give the above donation number and state that your blood (or plasma product) should not be given to another person. You do not have to state your name.

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# THANK YOU FOR COMING IN TODAY.

*Read this pamphlet before  
you decide whether you should  
give blood. You will be asked  
later to sign a statement saying  
that you have read the pamphlet  
today and that you understand it.*



**American  
Red Cross**

## ■ YOUR SAFETY

To make sure you are healthy enough to give blood we will—

- Check your temperature, pulse, and blood pressure.
- Test a drop of your blood to be sure you have enough red blood cells to give safely today.
- Ask you questions about your health.

What you tell us about your health will be kept confidential.

If you are able to give, we will take about a pint of blood from your arm. We always use a new, sterile needle. The needle is thrown away after you give.

You cannot get AIDS or any other disease by giving blood.

## ■ PATIENT SAFETY

Some people must not give because their blood might spread an infection to the people who receive it.

**Do not give blood if you are at risk for getting and spreading the AIDS virus.** You are at risk if . . .

- You are a man who has had sex with another man since 1977, *even one time.*
- You have ever taken ("shot up") illegal drugs; by needle, *even one time.*
- You are a native of Haiti, Sub-Saharan Africa, or any island close to Sub-Saharan Africa and came to the United States after 1977.
- You are a hemophiliac who has taken clotting factor concentrates since 1977.
- You have ever had a positive test for AIDS or the AIDS virus.
- You have AIDS or one of its symptoms, which include—

- Weight loss (10 pounds or more in less than 2 months) that you can't explain.
- Night sweats.
- Blue or purple spots on or under your skin.
- White spots or unusual sores in your mouth that last a long time.

- Lumps in your neck, armpits, or groin that last more than a month.
- Fever higher than 99 degrees that lasts more than 10 days.
- Diarrhea that lasts more than one month.
- You have, since 1977, had sex with any person described above.
- You are a woman or man who has been a prostitute at any time since 1977.
- You are a man who has had sex with a female prostitute or a woman who has had sex with a male prostitute in the last six months.

**Do not give blood to find out whether you have a positive AIDS test.** The tests we use are very good, but they are not perfect. A person may be infected and have a negative test result. That's why you must not give blood if you are at risk for getting AIDS. A Red Cross nurse can tell you where you can get an AIDS test without giving blood and without giving your name.

**Do not give blood if you . . .**

- Have ever had hepatitis (liver disease caused by a virus).
- Have had malaria or have taken drugs to prevent malaria in the past three years.
- Have syphilis.

If you decide that you should not give blood, you may leave now. If you're not sure, ask to talk privately with a Red Cross nurse.

If you decide to give blood today, you will be given a form to let us know whether your blood is safe to be given to another person. You will be told how to use the form so that no one at the blood drive will know what you have said. If your blood should not be given to another person, you must let us know with this form.

If you give blood today, but decide later that your blood may not be safe for another person, call the telephone number on the back of this pamphlet as soon as possible and state that your blood should not be given to another person.

## ■ YOUR BLOOD WILL BE TESTED

We will test your blood for hepatitis, syphilis, and the AIDS virus (HIV). If these tests show that any part of your blood could make someone sick, that part will not be used. If you have any questions about the specific tests we are using, please ask a nurse.

If our tests show that you may be unhealthy, we will let you know. We report test results to health departments when required by law.

We keep a confidential list of people who should not give blood or whose tests are not clear.

## ■ WHILE YOU GIVE BLOOD

Most people feel fine while they give blood and after. A few people do not. A small number of people may get . . .

- An upset stomach.
- A faint or dizzy feeling.
- A "black and blue" mark, redness, or pain where the needle was.

Very rarely, a person may faint and have muscle spasms; this usually lasts only a few minutes.

## ■ AFTER YOU GIVE BLOOD

- If you plan to do something that might be dangerous for you or others if you get dizzy, ask us how long to wait before doing it.
- For the next five hours, keep your bandage on and dry; don't do heavy exercise.
- If you get dizzy, lie down.
- If the needle site starts to bleed, raise your arm straight up and press on the bandage with your fingers until the bleeding stops.
- If you get redness or pain where the needle was, call the phone number on the back of this pamphlet, or call your own doctor.

If you have additional questions about whether your blood should be used for transfusion, please call.

AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD SERVICES  
Northeastern Pennsylvania Region  
(717) 823-7164

For additional information about the American Red Cross call your local chapter.

The programs of the American Red Cross are made possible by the voluntary services and financial support of the American people.

# WHAT YOU MUST KNOW BEFORE GIVING BLOOD

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who has had sex  
with another man  
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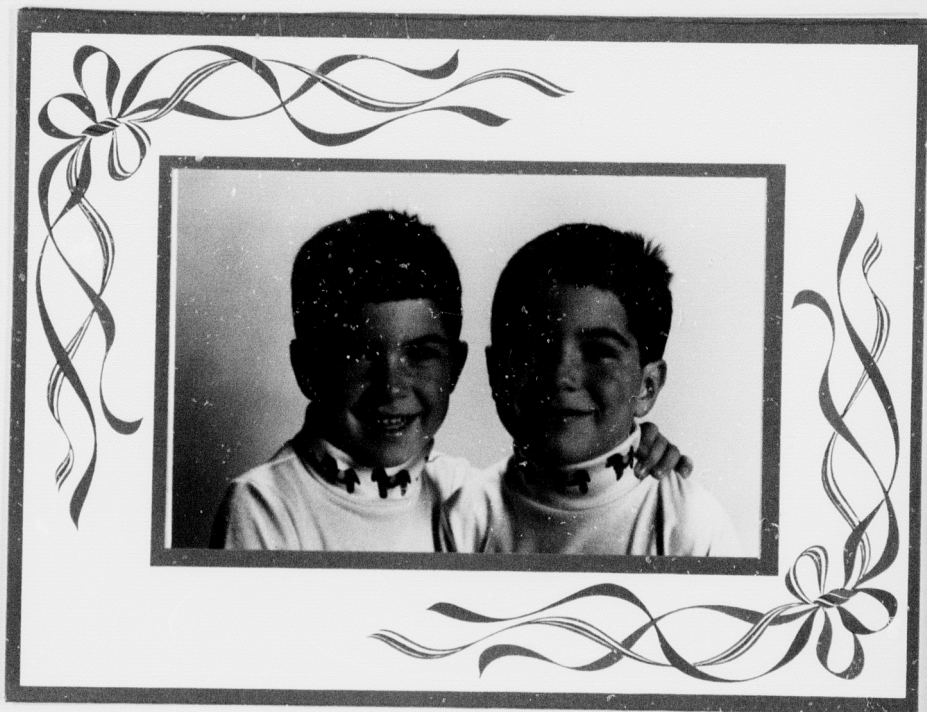


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*Wishing you all Good Things*

NOW AND THROUGHOUT

*the Coming Year*

*Janice, Johnny, Christopher  
& Jeffery*

*Janice Carter*

*1919 Locust Court*

*Bloomington, En 47401*



12/17/88 — When I cleaned out the hen  
and tippler lofts  
houses, this morning, I put the manure  
and litter in three 100-pound feed  
bags and packed them into the trunk  
of my car and took them down to  
Cousin Peg in Jermyon and spread  
them on her flower garden. SKP  
to Peg: "Here is Part I of your  
Christmas present." She was delighted,  
as I knew she would be. Perhaps  
I will be able to take down another  
load before Spring.



12/17/88- Found Dog - Travin Mills

When I stepped outside this morning there was a two-month old snowy white Husky puppy under my car. The dog had a collar on it and my first thought was that it had escaped from a week-end ski outing person - there are many weekend people who come into the Elk Mountain area. With a fair amount of manoeuvring, I finally managed to convince the pup to follow me into the flower garden, where I then caught him and put a rope on his collar. I then took the dog and tied him to the road-side of my car - so that he would be visible to anyone who came

by looking for a lost dog. I then went about my business at the hen houses. Very little traffic on the road and no dog seekers. It then occurred to me that I should put out a sign - attach it to my recently-installed mail box post. And that I did.

after some thought I finally concluded that the briefest and most meaningful message would be: "Dog found." Again I went back to the hen houses. About an hour later, a four-wheeled all-terrain-vehicle (the same one that has been racing about the neighborhood

a great deal recently) went by — <sup>3.</sup>  
up the road — and then suddenly  
stopped and barked up and came  
into the driveway. a teen age  
boy got off and headed towards  
the door of the Church. I came  
forward from the hen house.

Travis Miller: "You found my  
dog!" SRP: "He was under my  
car when I came out this morning."

Travis then untied the dog  
and clutched it to his bosom  
and then took off his glove  
and shook my hand in thanks.  
I said that I thought that the  
dog looked like a valuable one  
and since it was wearing a

Collar & was sure that someone <sup>4</sup>  
would be by looking for it.

Travis: "You know how much this  
dog is worth?" SRP: "No, but  
I'm sure he's valuable." Travis:  
"\$800.00." SRP: "I'm not surprised.

He's a beauty." Travis clutched  
the dog to himself and got  
back on his ATV. SRP: "What's  
your name?" "Travis Miller."  
SRP: "Where do you live?"

TM: "Right down here at the  
corner."

My only thought upon hearing  
that Travis lives "right <sup>down</sup> here at  
the corner" was: "Excellent - I  
hope that Travis will spread the  
word that SRP found - and returned -

his \$800 dog and that he, SRP, is a  
 good guy. Therefore, leave him alone  
 at Halloween and don't break his  
 window." I'm not sure whether  
 or not Travis was one of the  
 rock throwers at Halloween, but  
 if he was, then it seems very  
 likely that he will not bother me  
 again. If it turns out that I  
 do not see Travis again before next  
 Halloween, I will go down to the  
 corner at Elkdale and find Travis  
 (which house?) and ask him to  
 do what he can to help me  
 out in protecting myself and  
 my property from Halloween  
 vandals. Slowly but surely  
 I will convert the entire area



to my liking. I am very pleased to have found Travin' dog. I knew that sooner or later I would have the chance to show/prowl to the neighborhood kids that I am a good guy. And I am doubly pleased that Travin' claimed his dog. What would I have done with the dear little dog if TM had not materialized? I'm not really sure. Perhaps I would have taken him to the Country Store in Dundaff or to somewhere in Clifford?

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE  
Sunday, December 18, 1988 .....11:00 A. M.

PREPARATION

Prelude.....Ann Thomas  
"Come to My Heart Lord Jesus"  
by Paul Ambrose  
Church's Common Concerns  
Call to Worship

PRAISE

Hymn 87: Joy to the World  
Invocation and Lord's Prayer  
Advent Candle Lighting.....Children  
Hymn 90: It Came Upon a Midnight Clear (1)  
Solo.....Joan Wilson  
"Night of Nights"

PRESENTATION

Prayers of the People  
Prayers for the People  
Presenting Our Tithes and Offerings  
Offertory Selection.....Berean Choir  
"Ring the Bells"  
Doxology  
Prayer of Dedication

PROCLAMATION

Old Testament Reading 20:  
The Prince of Peace  
Hymn 97: There 's a Song in the Air  
New Testament Reading: Luke I: 26-38  
Sermon.....Rev. Gordon S. Wilson  
The Original E.T.

PROFESSION

Hymn 58: Jesus the Very Thought of Thee  
Benediction  
Postlude.....Ann Thomas  
"Christmas Postlude" by Carl Simone  
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If you wish to join this Church or to make a  
commitment to Christ, please come forward during  
the singing of the Hymn of Invitation  
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TONIGHT

At 6:00 P.M. tonight there will be Open House  
at the Parsonage. You are invited to come and see  
all the work that has been done. Refreshments at the  
church.

At 7:00 P.M., the concert of traditional and  
popular Christmas music by the Crystal Band will  
take place in our sanctuary. The concert is sponsored  
by the Carbondale Historical Society. Refreshments  
will follow.

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THIS WEEK

Today

9:45 A.M. Church School (all ages)  
11:00 A.M. Morning Worship (nursery provided)  
8:00 P.M. AA Meeting; open discussion

Wednesday

7:00 P.M. Choir Rehearsal  
8:00 P.M. AA Open Meeting

Saturday

9:00 P.M. Christmas Eve Candlelight  
Communion Service in our sanctuary. Special  
music and message by the pastor, "Joy to the  
World!" Come and enjoy this beautiful service!

Sunday

10:30 A.M. Christmas Worship Service. Our  
choir will be singing the cantata, "Love  
Transcending." Message: "Christmas: Ho Hum!  
or Ho! Ho!" Sunday School and Worship are  
combined. Please note the change in time for  
this Sunday only.

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REGISTRATION

Please sign a "Registration Card" (in the pew  
racks) today. We are glad that you are here!

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MISSION TREE

A highlight of the season is our "Mission Tree,"  
which we use to express our love and support for  
David and Christie Meneely and their family. The  
theme this year will be a "Card Tree." You are  
invited to bring a card with your gift enclosed. The  
cards will be placed on the tree and the money sent  
to the Meneelys. This is for all ages and our children  
can remember their children.

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ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Business Meeting will be on January 15th, following the morning worship service. It's not too early to begin to get your reports ready.

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TAPES AVAILABLE

We have Bible tapes available. The New Testament is only \$15.00, and you can choose from the King James Revised Standard or New International Version. Also, Psalms and Proverbs in KJV are \$10.00. Bible listening is an effective way to spend quality time in God's Word. If you are interested, please speak to the pastor or call him: 282-1511 (church) or 282-6309 (home).

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Three Cheers!

679-2152

U. S. Postal Service ROUTING SLIP		Dept., Office or Room No.	<input type="checkbox"/> Approval <input type="checkbox"/> Signature <input type="checkbox"/> Comment <input type="checkbox"/> See Me <input type="checkbox"/> As Requested <input type="checkbox"/> Information <input type="checkbox"/> Read and Return <input type="checkbox"/> Read and File <input type="checkbox"/> Necessary Action <input type="checkbox"/> Investigate <input type="checkbox"/> Recommendation <input type="checkbox"/> Prepare Reply <input type="checkbox"/>
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Date	12/16/58		Room No.
Remarks:	<p>Your extension has been approved Please call at your convenience about box and when to put it or come in Tuesday thru Saturday Between 8:15 &amp; 10:15</p> <p>Thank You Richard J. Shultz</p> <p>PAID PA DEC 16 1958 U.S. MAIL</p>		

ITEM 0-13, Aug. 1976

(Additional Remarks on Reverse)

U.S. GPO: 1958-210-099

Central Pa. Grain Club  
Box 343 RD #4  
Montoursville, Pa.  
C. Harris



America the Beautiful USA 15

S. Robert Forwell

P.O. Box 161

Carbondale, Pa.

18407

C.P.A.C. meeting  
where - Carl Harris home  
When - Dec 18 - 1 P.M.

Its time for 89 dues

(Please get directions from Cecil Rose



12/19/1988- [ S Robert Powell  
R. D. #1, Box 48E  
Union Dale, PA 18470

Finally, my request for mail service at Union Dale has been approved! I shall immediately begin to have my mail forwarded to my residence at Elkdale.

The postman: Russell Peltz.

Very possibly Mom & Dad have an old mailbox that I can use. Won't it be amusing to see the postman arrive!

12/19/88 - I phoned Hank Loftin, Jr.  
at the Mayfield Big Chief and  
had him "clarify" the recent  
<sup>unpaid</sup> bill that the CHS+M has at  
the store. There was a \$9.72  
unpaid balance. He explained  
that there was \$4.94 from August 88  
and \$4.78 from October 88 (Total:  
\$9.72). OK. I was startled to  
learn that we had an unpaid  
bill. Henry then stated that  
he was withdrawing from the  
Cardinal Area History Book project  
and that John Klimkiewicz was  
taking over the project. I'm  
not surprised that Henry is  
withdrawing, but I was somewhat

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to learn  
surprised, that J. K. is taking  
over. Hank does not have the  
time due to his increased  
responsibilities at the store.

I hope that J. K. will throw  
himself into the project  
with enthusiasm.

12/14 - CHS - SRP at Koczakowski

12/15 - CHS M Christmas Party and  
annual meeting - brilliant  
success - over 80 guests for dinner

12/16 - Mt. View - SRP at Mrs. Jackson  
- SRP gave blood at  
St. Rose

"found dog" - Travin Mills Blueberry cobbler  
Shoo Fly pie  
12/17 - SRP Christmas baking session at  
Russell Homestead  
- SRP delivered three 100 pound  
bags of chicken manure to Cousin  
Peg

12/18 - Crystal Dand Concert - BDC -  
wonderful success - over 350  
persons in attendance; SRP  
as master of ceremonies

SRP, Box 48E, Union Dale, PA 18470  
12/19 - CHS - SRP at Sabina

Patrick Rafferty } nice little guys -  
Patrick Brennan } probably 8th graders

December 21, 1988

Mr. John Kameen  
THE FOREST CITY NEWS  
Main Street  
Forest City, PA 18421

Dear John:

At the very sight of a letter from me, you are probably saying to yourself: "Oh no, not another woodchuck article!"

No, the woodchucks have been put aside (I wonder if the ENDLESS MOUNTAINS REVIEW might be interested in my woodchuck article?) for the moment. Now it is a question of birds.

Enclosed is a copy of (for lack of a better title) "MANY SPECIES OF BIRDS SIGHTED," which you may be interested in publishing in THE FOREST CITY NEWS.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from the village of Elkdale and from,

Yours truly,

*Robert*

S. Robert Powell  
R. D. # 1, Box 48E  
Union Dale, PA 18470

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## MANY SPECIES OF BIRDS SIGHTED

Fifty-six different species of birds were sighted by S. Robert Powell during the calendar year 1988 in or near the village of Elkdale (Clifford Township, Susquehanna County).

The 56 species are as follows: Robin, Bluebird, Canada Goose, House Wren, Song Sparrow, Blue Jay, Starling, Crow, Red-tailed Hawk, Flicker, Baltimore Oriole, Scarlet Tanager, Maryland Yellow Throat, Indigo Bunting, Barn Swallow, House Sparrow, Tree Swallow.

Great Blue Heron, Green Heron, Mourning Dove, Woodcock, Wild Turkey, Downy Woodpecker, Cardinal, Hairy Woodpecker, Chickadee, White-breasted Nuthatch, Meadowlark, Bobolink, Kildeer, Ruby-throated Hummingbird, Ruffed Grouse, Catbird, Sparrow Hawk, Turkey Vulture, Mallard, Goldfinch, Red-winged Blackbird, Cedar Waxwing, Tufted Titmouse, Purple Grackle, House Finch, Purple Finch.

Horned Lark, Yellow Warbler, Phoebe, Chipping Sparrow, Yellow-billed Cuckoo, Spotted Sandpiper, Kingbird, Wood Thrush, Pileated Woodpecker, Coopers Hawk, White-Crowned Sparrow, Ring-necked Pheasant, <sup>and</sup> Slate-colored Junco.

Four of these species, according to Powell, are very infrequently seen in this area at present: Indigo Bunting, Yellow-billed Cuckoo, Horned Lark, and Pileated Woodpecker. Others are less frequently seen here than they were at one time: Bluebird, Scarlet Tanager, Green Heron, Woodcock, Wild Turkey, Tufted Titmouse.

"The decreased use of pesticides and the increased concern for the quality of the environment," Powell remarked, "are ultimately beneficial to wild birds and game. All other things being equal, it seems likely, therefore, that the great variety of wild birds and game that were once regularly seen in this area of the country will once again become a part of our daily experience."

When asked if he plans to continue to monitor the species

of wild birds that he observes in and near the village of Elkdale, Powell replied: "Very **definitely**. Such lists are not only intrinsically interesting but also can be useful documents to future ornithologists and naturalists in studying and writing the history of the fauna of northeastern Pennsylvania."

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For additional information, contact:

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**S ROBERT POWELL**  
**PO BOX 161**  
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12/20/88 - a bonus day if ever there were  
one. Sleep in December, on the day before  
the winter solstine (longest night and  
shortest day; this is the winter equivalent  
of mid-summer day, which has the  
longest day and shortest night), the  
temperature has climbed to a  
wonderfully balmy 50°F! at present  
it is 1 PM and I am watching over  
a class of 8th grade art students at  
CAHS. I'm sure that there is a  
great deal of singing and crowing  
going on in the hen houses at  
Elkdale. This morning I turned  
off all the heat lamps and opened  
up the windows in both coops, both  
of which have been flooded with sun-  
light all day. This should be very  
good for poultry morale and egg  
production.

12/20/88

## Crytal Band Concert

Helen Powell: "I think that the concert on Sunday night [by the Crytal Band] was the best thing that ever took place in the Baptist Church... We [WSP + HLRP] had a wonderful time."

DWP to SRP: "Sad has been singing the praises of Larry Hughes for the past two days."

Bob De Grazia: "What a beautiful concert that was on Sunday. Beautiful!"

Dot Price: "My wife has been telling people about the concert all day long for the past two days."

Walter Powell to { SRP  
Cousin Peg  
Helen Powell } at the  
conclusion  
of the  
concert:

"Everyone had a good  
time, including me."

DWP } all agree  
SRP } that there  
JVB } were more  
than 300 persons  
in the Baptist Church  
on Sunday night  
for the concert.

12/20/88-

a friend of  
mom's

5:30 PM - arrived at Russell / Homestead  
and made a double recipe of Maude  
Smith's "bake-it-out-of-the  
turkey" bread stuffing for the  
Masonic covered-dish dinner  
on 12/21/88:

	1 loaf of bread - cubed
	24 Saltines - crumbled
	3 tbsp oil
Sauté but don't brown	2 onions - chopped
	1 1/2 cups celery - chopped
mix	2 eggs - beaten
& add	2 tsp salt
to bread	1/2 tsp pepper
cubes &	1 tbsp poultry seasoning
sauté	1 cup milk
mixture	1 1/2 cups boiling water

350° / 1 hour

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730-1030 PM - SRP help the  
 Masons ready themselves for the  
 12/21/88 dinner. SRP polished  
 all the silver flatware for the  
 75 table settings; also did  
 the serving pieces.

DWP

Howard Zepher

Rm Commune

JVB

} moved and  
 set up tables  
 and chairs;  
 moved  
 masonic  
 furniture;  
 washed dishes.

a pleasant and very  
 productive work session; I was  
 the only non-Mason there and  
 I was there because of DWP,  
 JVB and Howard — worthy  
 people and a worthy cause.

**Elkdale Baptist Church of West Clifford**  
**Elkdale Christian Academy**

Frank Bissol, Pastor  
Phone (717) 222-3723

*I Cor 9:16 "Woe . . . if I preach not the gospel!"*

R.D. 1, Box 81C  
Uniondale, PA 18470

Dear Friends:

It doesn't seem possible but, January 1st, 1989, we will be starting our 6th year of ministry here at the Elkdale Baptist Church. It seems like only yesterday that we came to the church. God has been so good to us this past year. We have seen many people saved, baptized, and added to our church. Please pray that we will be more effective in 1989 in carrying out the great commission locally as well as abroad. Time will not permit me to share in detail all that the Lord has done this past year. I will briefly highlight a few things: God has allowed us to pretty well complete our building program, the Lord has made it possible for us to black top our parking lot, double our missionary outreach, expand our bus ministry and increase our average Sunday School attendance. I can't help but think that God has actually done exceedingly above all that we could ever ask or think.

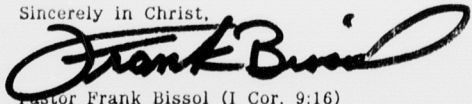
Whenever God blesses I equally sense that Satan is fighting to thwart off God's program. Yet, I praise the Lord that we have the promise that even, "the gates of hell shall not prevail against the Church." I have never sensed the reality of the spiritual warfare like I have this past year. I cannot help but think that Satan knows his days are growing shorter and is making a stronger bid for the souls of men, women and children. We need to pray desperately for more foot soldiers. Indeed, the harvest is ripe, but the laborers are few. Please pray specifically that God would send us more laborers this next year. I feel that unless we have mature Christians who are willing to be spent so others may be nurtured in the faith, we will not be able to progress as we should!

I hope you will make a special effort to come out to our Christmas Eve candle light service, Saturday, between 7:00 - 8:00 P.M. and to our Cantata scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 25th, at 7:00 P.M. We also have a special evening planned for New Year's Eve, (7:00 P.M. - 12:00 midnight). Since New Year's Eve is on a Saturday this year, I will be giving a special gift to each family and teen that comes out the next Sunday School Jan. 1st, 1989. Also, New Year's Eve and New Year's day we will have the Thompson family with us. They will do a special concert on Saturday Evening, and on Sunday brother Al Thompson will be preaching. Please mark your calendars and plan to come out these days.

Let me encourage you to start the first day of 1989 out right by being in church. Sunday is the first day of the week, and this year God has chosen to allow the first day of 1989 to start out on a Sunday (i.e. resurrection day). Let's make a New Year's resolution to make Jesus Christ 1st in our lives in 1989!

Thank you for being a friend to both our Church family and personal family. Remember, ***Jesus could come in 1989!*** God bless you,

Sincerely in Christ,

  
Pastor Frank Bissol (I Cor. 9:16)

THE  
ELKDALE BAPTIST CHURCH  
OF  
WEST CLIFFORD

PRESENTS AN ORIGINAL  
CHRISTMAS CANTATA

Sunday Dec. 25th, 7:00 P.M.

"FROM THE  
ROOT OF JESSE"

Written By  
PASTOR FRANK BISSOL

LOCATED OFF RT. 106 IN  
WEST CLIFFORD

CALL 222-3723  
FOR MORE INFORMATION

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*Merry Christmas*  
from

**Pastor Bissol and Family**

**Elkdale Baptist Church of West Clifford**

R.D. 1 Box 81C Uniondale, PA 18470 (717) 222-3723

*Shar, Elaine, & Pastor*

**Genesis 3:15**

I will put enmity  
between thee and  
the woman, and be-  
tween thy seed and  
her seed: it shall  
bruise thy head  
and thou shalt  
bruise his heel.



*Melody, Jessica, Joseph*

**Luke 2:34**

... Behold this child  
is set for the fall  
and rising again of  
many in Israel ...

**Matt. 1:23**

Behold, a virgin shall be with child, and shalt bring forth a son, and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is, God with us.

**Rev. 22:20**

Surely I Come Quickly. Amen. Even so, Come Lord Jesus!

***Jesus May Come In 1989!***





The Bowery Savings Bank  
New York, New York

CONTRIBUTORY I.R.A. STATEMENT  
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MR S ROBERT POWELL

PARTICIPANT: MR S ROBERT POWELL  
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: 198-34-0586

P O BOX 161  
CARBONDALE PA 18407

### SUMMARY REPORT

TOTAL BALANCE YEAR TO DATE			INDIVIDUAL ACCOUNT(S) BALANCE STATUS			
ACTIVITY	DATE	AMOUNT	ORIGINATION DATE	MATURITY DATE	RATE	BALANCE
STARTING BALANCE	JAN01	4,550.20				
DEPOSITS		2,000.00				
INTEREST		402.78	JAN17 86	JAN17 91	9.670	2,597.73
WITHDRAWALS		0.00	FEB03 87	FFB03 92	7.170	2,252.39
FINAL BALANCE	NOV10	6,952.98	FEB11 88	FEB11 93	7.890	2,102.86

WITHDRAWAL MAY BE MADE WITHOUT I.R.S. PENALTY  
AT ANY TIME AFTER ATTAINMENT OF AGE 59-1/2.  
WITHDRAWALS MUST COMMENCE BY THE END OF THE  
YEAR IN WHICH YOU REACH AGE 70-1/2.

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TRANSACTION DATE	TRANSACTION CODE	WITHDRAWAL	DEPOSIT	INTEREST	BALANCE
JAN01 88	STARTING BALANCE J				4,550.20
FEB17 88			2,000.00		6,550.20
MAR30 88				118.75	6,668.95
JUN29 88				139.73	6,808.68
SEP29 88	FINAL BALANCE			144.30	6,952.98
NOV10 88					6,952.98

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# THE BOWERY.

## Individual Retirement Account Adoption Agreement and Designation of Beneficiary

Social Security No. Type of IRA  
☒ 198-34-0586 ☐ CONTRIBUTORY

Birthdate  
 12/12/1943

Participant's Name and Address  
 MR S ROBERT POWELL  
 P O BOX 161  
 CARBONDALE PA 18407

Account(s)  
 053-660502-5  
 053-660503-3  
 053-660504-1

Please complete the following sections, sign and return the original copy of this form.

SEP Employer's Name N.A.	Marital Status SINGLE	Home Phone No. (717) 679-2979	Business Phone No. ( )
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### Designation of Beneficiary

By signing below as Grantor of my IRA at The Bowery, I revoke all my prior designations (if any) of Beneficiary(ies). I designate the following as my Beneficiary(ies) under my Individual Retirement Account, subject to the General Provisions below. I have the right to change this designation.

#### Primary Beneficiary(ies):

Full Name	Address	Date of Birth	Relationship
1 DONALD W. POWELL	R.D. #1, Box 40 CARBONDALE PA 18407	12-12-43	BROTHER
2			

#### Contingent Beneficiary(ies):

Full Name	Address	Date of Birth	Relationship
1 CARBONDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY	P.O. BOX 151, CARBONDALE, PA 18407		
2			

### General Provisions

- Except as otherwise provided in the Designation, the balance of my IRA is payable upon my death:
  - in equal shares to those Primary Beneficiaries who survive
  - if no Primary Beneficiary survives, in equal shares to those Contingent Beneficiaries who survive
- If no designated Beneficiary survives me, the balance in the IRA shall be paid upon my death to my spouse, or if no spouse exists, to the personal representative of my estate.
- The Terms of the Trust Agreement, including any amendments which may be made, are controlling over these General Provisions and shall always govern all of my rights, the rights of my spouse and all Beneficiaries and the rights of all persons claiming through any of them.

By signing below:

I acknowledge receipt of The Bowery Individual Retirement Account Plan and Trust and Disclosure Statement.

I agree to be bound by all the conditions set forth in The Bowery Individual Retirement Account Trust Agreement, of which this Adoption Agreement is a part.

I acknowledge that I am fully responsible for determining whether I am eligible to participate in and to what extent I am otherwise entitled to favorable tax treatment for contributions to The Bowery Individual Retirement Account.

I certify that the information on this form is correct. (Please indicate any corrections directly on this form.)

Date 12/12/88	Participant's Signature Robert Powell	Witness' Signature (cannot be a beneficiary) Joseph Pascoe
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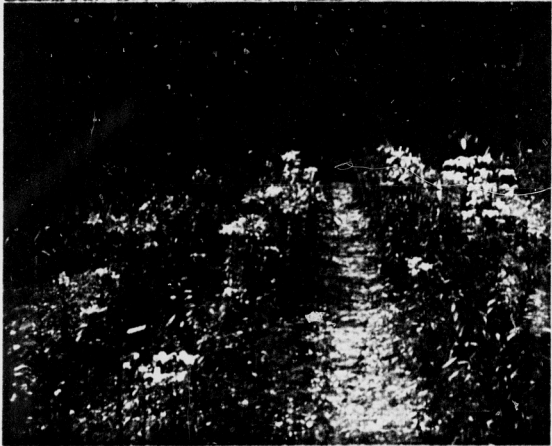
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ORIGINAL - FORWARD TO TRUSTEE



and a  
Happy New Year, too!

*Lucile & Mary.*



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SEASONS  
GREETINGS

Robert  
(+ powder)

Christmas '88

[35-15 155th St, # B-4  
Flushing, NY 11354]

With wishes for a happy holiday season  
and all good wishes for the year ahead.

Hope no one is disturbing your seclusion  
and you found a good job (if you want one).  
Mine is going superduperly well. In fact,  
"things" are actually not bad. Going to Chicago  
Jan. 23. Maybe I'll see you before?  
KEEP IN TOUCH.

Love,  
Sheryl (Ashby, Cassandra, Marc).



12/24/88,  
p. 1

S Robert



To wish you  
all the  
Blessings  
of the  
Christmas Season

Merry Christmas  
Alvin, Sandy  
Josh & Clyde  
Seamans

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12/24/88 - afternoon of Christmas Eve -  
1:30 P.M.

There have been several broken eggs in the sole nest in the hen house of late - all of the hens seem to prefer one nest & so I removed the others some time ago. Today I decided that I would re-design the nest box area in the hen house and see if I could get the hens interested in more than one nest.

Unseasonably warm. Heavy rain. at 1:30 P.M., as I was hanging away in the hen house there suddenly came a knocking on the hen house window. To my great surprise and pleasure I peeked out and there stood

Clyde Seaman with a 10" square  
aluminum - foil covered pan of  
Christmas cookies and the Christmas  
Card that is shown here! "we've  
brought you a present" said Clyde.  
I emerged from the hen house  
and thanked Clyde and then  
walked to the Seaman's car in  
the front drive — Sandy at  
the wheel and Joshua in the  
front seat. Clyde got into the  
back. I thanked Sandy &  
Joshua for the present and  
explained my hen house project  
and Sandy reported that they  
had three hens at one time that  
all wanted to lay in the same

nest. "There's not much you can do about it once they've made up their minds," said Sandy. "Yes, and so I've decided to confuse them a bit by putting up new nests and see what happens," said SRP. "Have you seen my new mailbox?" asked SRP. "Alvin said you were putting up a mailbox. He suggested that if you were not home today that we put the cookies in the mailbox and put up the flag and maybe you'd see the flag," reported Sandy.

SRP: " Well I'm glad you found me  
at home. Thanks again for the  
cookies. Merry Christmas. " —  
and with that Sandy, Joshua &  
Clyde wished me Merry Christmas  
and backed out of the drive. I  
brought the cookies in and went  
back out to the barn.

What a perfectly lovely thing for  
the Seaman family to do! I  
am touched / very pleased / over-  
whelmed: a beautiful neighborly  
gesture. Thoughtful, spontaneous,  
giving, pure and direct. I  
shall never forget it.

all very good 6

What kind of cookies / treats did  
Sandy make:

- Cinnamon nut twists, glazed - 2
- White standard Christmas  
cookies with red sprinkles  
on them - 2 bells } - 4  
                                  - 2 stars }
- 3 pieces of dark fudge - 3
- White standard Christmas  
cookies - two Christmas  
trees with green icing &  
multicolored sprinkles } - 2
- nut crunch deep  
fried balls - with - 3  
                                  powdered sugar

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Berean Baptist Church  
Christmas Eve Communion, 9:00 P.M.

PRELUDE.....Mrs. Ann Thomas  
"Quiet Songs of the Holy Night"  
by Lani Smith

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

And the angel said to them: "Be not  
afraid; for behold, I bring you good news  
of a great joy which will come to all the  
people; for to you is born this day in the  
city of David a Savior, who is Christ the  
Lord." Luke 2: 10-11

HYMN: "Angels from the Realms of Glory"  
(first verse) #99

And the shepherds said to one another:  
"Let us go over to Bethlehem and see  
this thing that has happened, which the  
Lord has made known to us." Luke 2:15

HYMN: "Angels from the Realms of Glory"  
(second verse)

And wise men from the East came to  
Jerusalem, saying: "Where is he who has  
been born king of the Jews? For we  
have seen his star in the East and have  
come to worship him." Matthew 2: 1-2

HYMN: "Angels from the Realms of Glory"  
(third verse)

And Simeon took the child up in his arms  
and blessed God and said: "Lord, now let  
your servant depart in peace, according  
to your word; for my eyes have seen  
your salvation." Luke 2: 28-30

HYMN: "Angels from the Realms of Glory"  
(fourth verse)

INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER

CANDLE LIGHTING

HYMN 97: "There's a Song in the Air" (1)  
OLD TESTAMENT READING 20: The Prince of  
Peace

DUET: "Eastern Star" by Gloria and Marsie  
Seigle

CHRISTMAS PRAYER

HYMN 95: "While Shepherds Watched their  
Flocks"

EPISTLE READING: Galatians 4: 1-7

ANTHEM: "Peace, Peace" by Rick and Sylvia  
Powell

MESSAGE: Joy to the World!

HYMN 87: "Joy to the World!"

THE COMMUNION SERVICE

Prayer of Consecration  
Sharing the Bread and the Cup

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE

Lights will be darkened.  
Everyone is invited to come forward and  
receive a candle, light it, and form a  
fellowship circle around the sanctuary.

HYMN 85: "Silent Night! Holy Night!"

BENEDICTION OF PEACE

ORGAN POSTLUDE.....Mrs Ann Thomas  
"Angels We Have Heard on High"  
a French carol

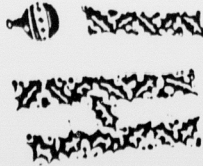
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There are offering plates in the narthex.  
Our offering tonight has been designated for  
the Fellowship Fund.

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Christmas Eve, 1988

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NEW YEAR'S EVE



*An Invitation  
To Our Friends*

NEW YEAR'S EVE, 8:00 til 12:30

FOR A TIME OF FUN - FELLOWSHIP - DEVOTION

**You'll Find Something For**

**Everyone**

because we are asking  
each one to bring their favorite games and snacks,  
(chips, crackers, pretzels, etc. and pop.

At 11:30 we'll have a short DEVOTIONAL TIME  
followed by a LIGHT LUNCH.

We'll dismiss about 12:30.

COME ON IN !

**JOIN THE FUN!**

Please mark your attendance card, how  
many plan to attend?



# suburban scene

## Nan Waters/Carbondale Area

### Merry Christmas to: —————



Frank and Sharon Wade  
Ray Rinaldi and his dog, Baron  
Bob Ventre and Hank Baker, my favorite  
picture takers

Florence and Donald Keating  
Blanche and Ronald Keating  
Pete and Hazel Sokalsky  
Dorothy and Basil Hoholich

Joan Crawford, Doris and Carlo  
Mary Louise Ruane and Nancy Parlo  
Judy, Sandy and Rickie Fofi  
Atty. Jack and Mickey Walsh

Mayor John and Mary Ellen Moran  
Charlie Battenberg, Ethel Llewellyn, Walter  
Toolan, Joe Russo, Freddy Aliso, Helen  
Mancuso, John Timmons and Fire Chief Burrell

Sally and Merle Morgan  
Art and Thais Wasley  
Helen Gibney, Skippy Parise, Judy Depoti,  
Steve Durkin

Lou and Jean Scombordi  
Susie Stephens and John Kameen  
Hal Lewis, Jack Lewis, John Bolak, Mike  
McLane, Kevin O'Hara and all the staffers at the  
*Scrantonian Tribune* newsroom

Shirley and Al Zaborowski  
Helen and Walt Powell  
All the Kutches and Mary Perrault  
Elaine and Deacon Carm

All the Seymours on the farm  
Armand Olivetti, John Cerra and Dr. Coleman  
All the Zazzera's and Harrises, especially  
Corinne

Mike Rinaldi and Jimmy McMyne  
Joe and Charlotte Moro  
The Miskos at the Corner Bistro  
Rose and Al Daugevello

All the area firemen

Greetings to the Mellow family

Msgr. Paul Purcell, Betty Dowd, Joe McDon-  
ald and Joe Dobbs  
The Booths and both the Cobbs  
Rose Hadsell and her brood  
The Winters - Connie and Manny

Eugenia Killlany and all the Livseys  
Ozzie Chambers, Kathy L., Monica Wanas,  
Carol, Jerry and Danielle Myers  
Merry Christmas to my daughters and their  
hubbys

A special greeting to my new grandson,  
"Chubby,"  
... to all our readers, subscribers, adver-  
tisers, carriers, news sources, colleagues and  
friends...

From all of us at the *Scrantonian Tribune*,  
best wishes for the most joyous Christmas ever

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Christmas Worship Service  
December 25, 1988

Organ Prelude.....Mrs. Ann Thomas  
"Come to My Heart Lord Jesus"  
by Ambrose

Advent Candle Lighting.....Mrs. Elizabeth  
Witts and Sidney Witts

Hymn 89: Angels We have Heard on High  
Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Cantata ..... "Love Transcending" by John W.  
Peterson

Presenting Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory selection.....Berean Choir  
Sleep Little Jesus by Wilson

Doxology

Cantata.....Conclusion

Sermon.....Rev. Gordon S. Wilson  
Christmas! Ho Hum or Ho! Ho! Ho!

Lighting the Christ Candle.....Mrs. Amber  
Brady and family

Hymn 98: I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day

Benediction

Postlude.....Mrs. Ann Thomas  
Go Tell it on the Mountain

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PLEASE NOTE:  
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There is no Sunday Church School today.  
It has been combined with the worship service,  
which begins at 10:30 A.M. (this Sunday only).

TODAY: 8:00 P.M. AA Meeting; open  
discussion

WEDNESDAY: No choir this week  
8:00 P.M. AA Open Meeting

SATURDAY:

8:00 P.M. Till 12:30 A.M. New Year's  
Eve Party. (See flyer on back page--  
reprinted here as submitted.) Please  
indicate on your attendance card  
if you plan to come.

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Next Sunday in 1989: Why not begin the  
new year by coming for worship. Message by  
the pastor: "Things to Remember and Things to  
Forget."

If you have a card for the Mission Tree,  
please place it on the offering plate. To date  
we have received \$430. Rev. Meneely becomes  
pastor of the First Baptist Church of Ardmore,  
PA, on January 1st. Our prayers and best  
wishes go to them in this new situation.  
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Pastor and Mrs. Wilson would like to  
thank all who remembered them with cards and  
gifts at the Christmas season.  
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The annual business meeting will be on  
Sunday, January 15th, following the morning  
worship service. It's not too early to begin to  
get your reports ready.  
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# TAPES AVAILABLE

We have Bible tapes available. The New  
Testament is only \$15.00, and you can choose from  
the King James Revised Standard or New  
International Version. Also, Psalms and Proverbs in  
KJV are \$10.00. Bible listening is an effective way to  
spend quality time in God's Word. If you are  
interested, please speak to the pastor or call him:  
282-1511 (church) or 282-6309 (home).  
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1988 Christmas Presents Given  
by SRP

- Mom - a bottle of "nerve tea" that  
I bought in Baltimore  
during our trip there - it's  
supposed to calm your  
nerves & we had a good  
laugh over it when we saw  
it in a store in Baltimore
- a framed garden & bluebirds picture
  - a quart of SRP-made  
Tarragon vinegar
  - a bouquet of SRP-grown  
straw flowers
  - a set of flannel sheets
  - 6 SRP-made gingerbread  
cookies

Dad - a year's subscription to  
Y Drych



- a set of flannel sheets
- 6 SRP-made gingerbread cookies

DWP — a quart of SRP-grain +  
made Tarragon Vinegar

- a year's subscription to  
The Scottish American
- 6 SRP-made gingerbread  
cookies

DWP II — a "proof" 1988 olympic  
silver dollar in a  
Case

Peg — 6 SRP-made gingerbread  
cookies

- a quart of SRP grain + made  
Tarragon vinegar
- a "load" of Chicken manure  
on her garden (delivered  
on 12/17/88)

Christmas Presents Received 1988<sup>1.</sup>  
by SRP

From Mom — \$70 each

- a large bag of HLRP-made Christmas cookies: Date & nut pinwheels, Hermitz, Welsh cookies
- a pair of "warm lined" Isotoner gloves

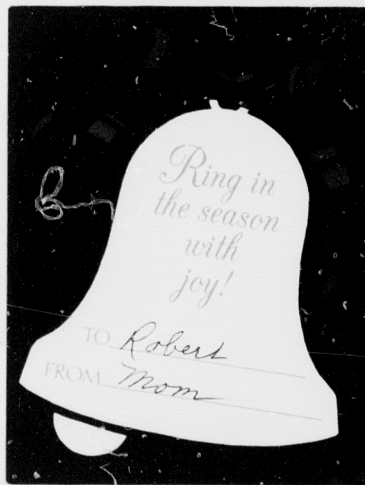
From Dad —  
\$100 each

THE ORIGINAL  
PAGE-A-DAY 1989 CALENDAR™

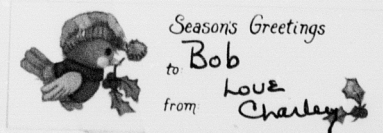
# The 365 new-words- a-year calendar

Workman Publishing, New York

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← From Peg & her dog Charley



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— also from Peg — a <sup>Van Heusen</sup> sweater

From DWP — a copy of The Mabin-  
ogion in the Everyman's  
Library Edition. DWP:  
"I find this unreadable.  
Perhaps you can make  
your way through it."

— a green turtle-neck shirt  
DWP: "I can't wear this.  
You wear turtle necks.  
Maybe you can."

— a jar of Cosmos seeds from  
DWP's garden  
source

— a jar of "Dr. Bronner's  
Magic Soap" — Rose scented

— a 2-pound jar of Stark

Buckwheat honey

- a 15-ounce jar of Plantation Blackstrap molasses
- 2 color photographs of SRP and a Black australorp pullet, taken on 8/7/88 on the way to the Harford Fair

All of the above - listed DWP presents were contained in an antique <sup>12th</sup> chocolate box -

"Justice Brand Chocolate" - that DWP located on a NYC street some years ago. The "cover letter" on DWP's "Christmas Sampler" is shown on the following page.

## CHRISTMAS 1988

Robert -

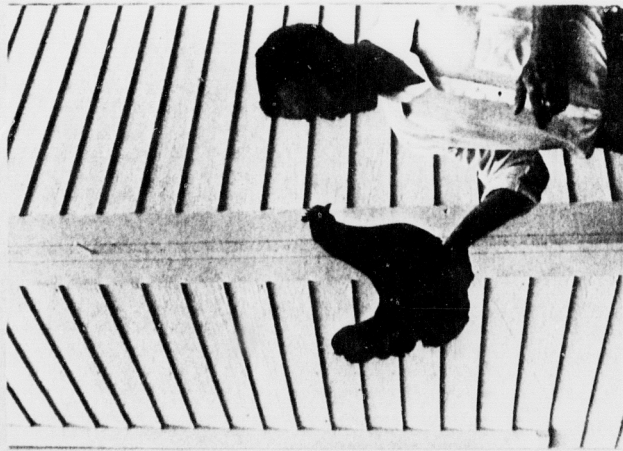
This isn't a very focused Christmas present. It is more a salad of things. It includes --

- a. some COSMOS seeds from my garden
- b. a new brand of molasses
- c. a bottle of buckwheat honey
- d. a classic of Welsh mythology. Maybe you'll have better luck reading it than I did. I have tried several times and have never been able to get beyond the first page.
- e. a bar of unusual soap

Donald.



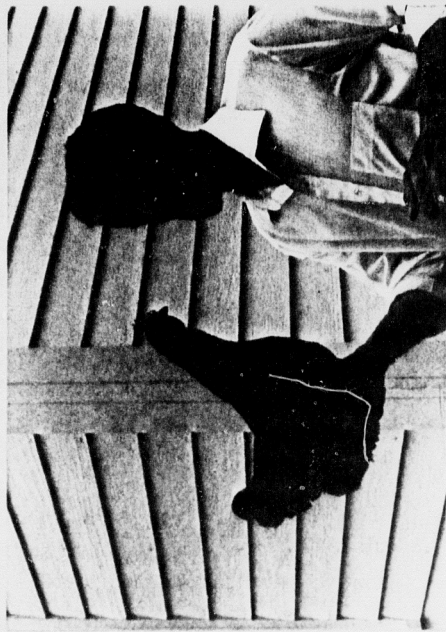
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Harford

ON THE WAY TO THE FAIR : August 7, 1988

Photos by PWP



SRP and a Black  
Australorp pullet—  
a very nice bird.  
a peculiar likeness  
of SRP to be sure.

### Retain This Guarantee

Ariz Isotoner Inc. guarantees these Isotoner gloves against defects in materials and workmanship for a period of one year from their date of purchase. Naturally this warranty does not cover damage resulting from accident, misuse, or lack of proper care. In the unlikely event that you encounter problems with your gloves, return them to the store with your receipt and this card.

### Easy Care Instructions

Isotoner gloves are completely washable. They will retain their shape and good looks when these instructions are followed carefully.

1. Put gloves on hands.
2. Wash in cool water. Use a gentle care soap, such as **Woolite** cold water wash (Do not use bleaching agents).
3. Rinse gloves in clear water while still on hands.
4. Towel dry. Remove from hands. Then allow to air dry keep away from any heat source or sunlight while drying. Do not put in dryer.
5. If gloves have leather strips, after gloves are dry, soften leather strips by massaging them with your fingertips.



### Guarantee Registration Card

To register your guarantee, please fill out and mail to:  
ARIS ISOTONER INC. — MEN'S GLOVE GUARANTEE, 417 FIFTH AVENUE, NY, NY 10016

Name S. R. Powell  
Address R D 1, Box 48 E  
City UNION DALE State PA Zip 18470  
Telephone (717) 679-2979 Date of Purchase gift 12/25/88  
Store Name \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

- Style ☒ Warm Lined ☐ Sportster ☐ Cashmere Lined ☐ Driver ☐ Two in One ☐ Thinsulate
- Have you ever purchased Isotoner Gloves before? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- Did you ☐ Purchase these for yourself ☒ Receive as a gift?  
If so, from whom? Please specify relative
- How did you hear about Isotoner Gloves? ☐ TV ☐ Magazine ☐ Newspaper ☒ In-Store ☒ Word of mouth
- For what purpose do you intend to use these gloves? ☐ Casual ☒ Driving ☐ Dress ☐ Special Occasions ☐ Everyday ☐ Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- What is the main thing you like about these gloves? ☐ Style ☐ Fit ☒ Comfort ☐ Quality ☐ Sizing ☐ Guarantee ☐ They're Isotoner Gloves ☐ Good for gifts ☐ Easy to shop for ☐ Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_
- Is there anything you would change about them? NO
- The age group to which you belong is: ☐ Under 18 ☐ 18-24 ☐ 25-34 ☒ 35-44 ☒ 45-54 ☐ 55-64 ☐ 65+

We would appreciate it if you could answer a few additional questions, so that we can better inform you through advertising about Isotoner brand gloves for men in the future.

- When do you watch television?  
☐ Early Morning (6-9 a.m.) ☐ During the day (9 a.m. to 5 p.m.)  
☐ Early Evening (5-8 p.m.) ☐ Evening (8-11 p.m.)  
☐ Late Evening (11 p.m. or later) ☒ rarely
- What are your favorite types of television programs?  
☐ Movies ☐ Interview/Talk Shows ☐ Comedies ☐ News Programs  
☐ Sports ☐ Drama Series ☐ Action/Adventure ☒ Music Programs  
☒ Arts Programs (Theatre, Dance, etc.)
- What are your 3 favorite television programs? PBS programs
- Do you own a video tape recorder? ☐ Yes ☒ No
- Do you watch Cable television stations? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- When you read, do you read: ☐ Newspapers ☐ Weekly News Magazines  
☐ General Interest ☐ Entertainment Magazines ☐ Sports Magazines  
☐ Men's Fashion Magazines ☒ none of the above
- Do you have any additional comments?  
Please turn questionnaire

## ISOTONER®

### Congratulations!

Isotoner Gloves are a reflection of your good taste in quality fashion wear.

Isotoner Gloves are recognized around the world by a select group of people who demand styling, comfort, high quality and durability from their fashion wear.

Enjoy them, in good taste.

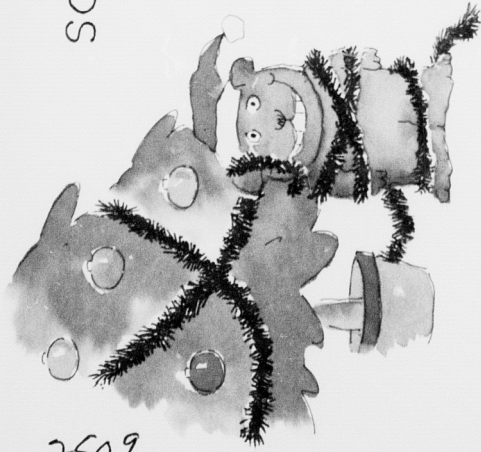
### A Gift Thought...

Isotoner gloves are also available for women and children. They are easy to buy and make a most welcome gift.

And now Isotoner offers the gift of comfort. Isotoner Comfort Slippers for women, children and men. They're the perfect gift solution for soothing tired feet.

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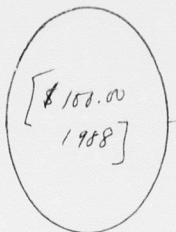


You've been worth  
every grey hair!

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

*Lots of Love*  
*Mom*

[Christmas, 1988, \$70.00]



PIONEER  
AMERICAN  
BANK

Bob



[from Dad] 2510



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I closed  
my pay  
at the  
Liberty  
Bank  
on

12/27/88

I put everything  
in Box 1036 at  
Pioneer American



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SAFE DEPOSIT BOX  
STATEMENT

We thank you for your past patronage, and trust you would like to renew your Safe Deposit Box Contract with us for another year.  
Please submit the TOTAL amount listed by the date indicated.

BOX NUMBER	ANNUAL RENTAL AMOUNT	PAST DUE	TOTAL DUE	DATE DUE
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DONALD W POWELL  
ROBERT S POWELL  
HELEN R POWELL  
RD 1 BOX 40  
CARBONDALE PA 12407

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DEC 27 '88 DEC 27 '88

Branch of American  
Bank, N.A.  
Carbondale, PA

Laying  
mashNORTH  
COUNTRY  
AGWAY12/27/88 2:46PM  
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ST \$11.75  
TOL \$0.71HTL \$2.46  
CASH \$20.00  
CND \$7.54

100 pounds of  
Laying mash  
at Herick  
Center Agway  
12/27/88  
\$ 12.46



12/26/88 - Lost Horse

I woke up around 5 A.M. and had the impression that finally I had recovered from Christmas dinner. I got up and went briefly out back and then returned to bed and fell soundly asleep. Around 8:30 A.M. I heard an unusual banging sound - not a knocking on the door and not a hen house sound (for example, the sound made by the birds when they jump down on the floor from the perches). I got up and dressed and went to the front door and opened it and there, between my car and the front stone, about 4 feet in front of me, stood a light brown horse. The sounds that

I heard must have been the 2512 Clap, Clap, Clap of the horse's

hooves on the frozen ground - possibly the horse walked across the front stone. I was quite taken a-back by the horse!, which, after having looked at me briefly and without too much concern, went about grazing in the thick grass around my car. No matter on the beast or I would have tied him up. I didn't want to put a rope around his neck for fear that he strangle himself. Two of my neighbors (at least 2) have horses and my first thought was the horse in the corral over by the old school house above the Grange Hall in Eldale. I got into the car and drove over and

fortunately there was a young man  
 there feeding the horse. "There's  
 a light brown horse in my front  
 yard. Did you by chance loose  
 a horse?" asked SRP. The  
 young man said that he only  
 had the one horse and he was  
 in the barn. He explained that  
 the new people in Elddal had  
 just gotten a horse and <sup>suggested</sup> that  
 it might belong to them. He  
 thanked me for my concern over  
 the lost horse and appreciated  
 my thinking that it might  
 have been his. "What's your  
 name?" he asked. I told him  
 my name and said where I  
 live. "I recognize your car"

said he. "My name is Bobby Yacimovich" <sup>(?) 4.</sup>  
said he, and we then shook hands,  
both of us removing our gloves.  
I took my leave. He is a nice  
guy - probably in his 20 $\frac{1}{2}$  -  
possibly older or younger. I went  
then to the new house in Eldale  
(on the Union Dale road) and went  
directly to the front door and  
knocked. No answer, even though  
there were two cars and a truck  
in the driveway. I <sup>white</sup>  
did note that there <sup>pick up</sup>  
was a note on the front <sup>with huge</sup>  
door - it seems that no one <sup>wheels.</sup>  
was home and think about  
it now. I returned here and  
the horse was still grazing



in the front yard. a few minutes later, a young guy (20 $\frac{1}{2}$ ) and Travis Miller (who lost the Husky that I found here last week) came walking down the road — Travis had a pail of oats and a bridle in his hand. The horse recognized them and gave out a greeting call. Travis & his friend/companion/brother/father appeared not to see me. I called out. "I wondered whose horse it was. I thought it might be the horse from over by the grange," said I. No reply from either Travis



or his very handsome friend. They put the horse on a rope and walked down the road. SRP: "I'm glad you found your horse." Travin's friend: "This seems to be the place to find lost animals."

Travin & his friend seemed so quiet — were they ashamed at having lost yet another pet? My guess now is that when they lost the horse they set out up the road looking for him. When they passed by here, I think the horse was either out back or in the meadow & they didn't see him. They went up the road & then turned around

7.  
and came back down — when  
I returned here and they found  
the horse. Possibly Travis'  
friend might be the driver of the  
car whose occupants threw the  
rocks through my windows at  
Halloween. Maybe that's why  
Travis's friend was so un-  
willing to enter into conversation  
or even say thank you for my  
efforts on behalf of the lost  
horse. I hope he was the  
driver of the car this Halloween —  
maybe he will finally realize  
that I am a good guy and  
should not be molested by  
the neighborhood kids/young

adults at Halloween. The house where the lost horse belongs has a mailbox out front marked "Mills" — so that is apparently where Travin lives. Slowly but surely I will sort out the neighbors. I did notice that there are several dogs out back of the Mills' house/double trailer — one of which is the #800 husky that made its way to my front door a week ago.

Naturally I will discuss all this with the Seaman family when I next visit there.

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PATRON  
LOCAL

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Market*

**Clifford,  
Pa.**

STORE HOURS:  
Mon. - Wed. 9-6  
Thurs. - Fri. 9-9  
Saturday 9-6  
Sunday 9-2



Carando Brand Sliced

**Hard or Genoa  
Salami**  
**\$3.59**  
lb.

*12/27/88 - 11 A.M. - this "flyer" was  
delivered to SRP's post box at  
Eckdale; the first piece of mail  
received here.*

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12/28/88

7:30 P.M. - A howling windy winter night; strong wind out of the northwest, some snow. It sounds and looks colder than it is (about  $25^{\circ}\text{F}$ ). All is well with the woad: I have just now checked on the birds and they are all happy as larks. The big bird news of the day is that the two black orpingtons have laid eggs today. I hope that they continue for several weeks - if they do, I will then gather/select some of their eggs as well as some Australorp and Ameraucana eggs and possibly some Black Langshans eggs and fill the incubator. It would be nice to hatch some



Chicks in early February. all of  
 the hens are now laying well —  
 13 eggs today (1 Ameraucana,  
 2 Black orpington, 10 the <sup>various</sup> layers —  
 including 3 Australorps — in the  
 first henhouse). It would be  
 lovely to have about 25 chicks  
 this Spring — from my own  
 very carefully selected stock.  
 If any of my older hens  
 become broody this Spring/summer,  
 I will, of course, provide them  
 with hatching eggs from my  
 thoroughbreds. Winter officially  
 began just a week ago, and al-  
 ready I have advanced to  
 Spring with my projection. adieu winter.



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# O'Boisies

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BRAND

Potato-Snack-Chips

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Cholesterol Free!

NET WT. 6.5 OZ. (184g)

*Highly recommended by S.R.P.*

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THE NORTH-EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA TELEPHONE COMPANY  
SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS AND CHARGES

ROBERT POWELL	BASIC	NON-BASIC	INTER EXCHANGE	TOTAL
PREVIOUS BALANCE	7.68	.80	2.98	11.46
CASH APPLIED	7.88	.80	2.98	11.46
BALANCE AS OF 11/30/88	.00	.00	.00	.00
SERVICE 12/01 TO 12/31	4.70	.00	.00	4.70
OTHER CHARGES AND CREDITS	3.35	.75	6.65	10.75
FEDERAL TAXES	.25	.00	.20	.45
STATE TAXES	.00	.05	.00	.05
CURRENT AMOUNT DUE	8.30	.80	6.85	15.95
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE	8.30	.80	6.85	15.95

.....PLEASE RETAIN THIS COPY FOR YOUR RECORDS.....

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\*\*\*\*\* OTHER CHARGES AND CREDITS \*\*\*\*\*

	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
B	INTERSTATE END USER CHARGE	3.20
N	MAINTENANCE SERVICE	.75
I	NORTH-EASTERN TOLL SERVICE	4.15
I	ATT COMMUNICATIONS TOLL SERVICE	2.37
B	SURCHARGE FOR PA-BASIC SERVICES	.22
B	NEGATIVE SURCHARGE FOR PA-BASIC SERVICES	.07CR
I	INTEREXCHANGE TOLL SURCHARGE	.19
I	INTEREXCHANGE TOLL NEGATIVE SURCHARGE	.06CR
	--- --	10.75
I	** SUB-TOTAL **	.07
B	ATT COMMUNICATIONS FEDERAL TAX	.25
I	FEDERAL TAX BASIC SERVICES	.13
I	INTEREXCHANGE TOLL FEDERAL TAX	.05
N	STATE TAX NON-BASIC SERVICE	

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THE NORTH-EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA TELEPHONE COMPANY TOLL SERVICE

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10-25-88	717-282-6499	CARBONDALE PA	1 2	10 29 PM	1	.10
10-27-88	717-282-3675	CARBONDALE PA	1 2	10 24 PM	9	.47
10-28-88	717-282-5197	CARBONDALE PA	1 2	6 05 PM	5	.31
10-30-88	717-282-5819	CARBONDALE PA	1 6	4 49 PM	9	.32
10-30-88	717-876-0284	JERMYN PA	1 2	9 27 PM	9	.65
11-01-88	717-282-5197	CARBONDALE PA	1 2	5 26 PM	8	.47
11-05-88	717-586-2011	CLARKESVILLE PA	1 6	9 49 AM	3	.19
11-06-88	717-876-0284	JERMYN PA	1 6	1 08 PM	3	.16
11-07-88	717-254-9485	CHAPMAN LKPA	1 1	2 21 PM	1	.20
11-07-88	717-562-0350	TAYLOR PA	1 1	2 31 PM	2	.43
11-13-88	717-282-1589	CARBONDALE PA	1 6	10 19 AM	3	.13
11-19-88	717-876-0284	JERMYN PA	1 6	3 09 PM	3	.16

NEP TOTAL FOR LONG DISTANCE SERVICE  
FOR TELEPHONE NUMBER 679-2979

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DATE OF BILL 12/06/88 TELEPHONE NUMBER 679-2979 18407-0161 PAGE 1

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## ATT COMMUNICATIONS TOLL SERVICE

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FOR TELEPHONE NUMBER 679-2979

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CALL BEFORE THE DUE DATE IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS - ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE REVERSE SIDE

SERVICE S ROBERT POWELL  
DA1 --- TO: ELKDALE  
--- FOREST CITY PA 18421

PLEASE USE YOUR CUSTOMER NUMBER  
WHEN CALLING OR WRITING  
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\*THANK YOU FOR YOUR PAYMENT

\* PREVIOUS BALANCE 32.36  
PAYMENT DEC 1 -32.36

BALANCE AS OF DEC 20 88 .00

## CURRENT BILLING FOR 32 DAYS USE

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FROM NOV 17 ACTUAL METER READING 10704  
RESIDENTIAL SERVICE RATE RS FOR 445 KHH 33.88  
CUSTOMER CHARGE 5.07  
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ENERGY CHARGE \$.006184 PER KHH 2.75  
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GOOD PAYING CUSTOMERS HAVE A CHOICE  
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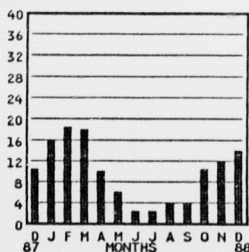
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ESTIMATE OF PA TAXES INCLUDED IN BILL	
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3.35	1.71

PAY EITHER AMOUNT	
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29.00	38.91

AVG KWH  
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THIS IS YOUR ELECTRIC USE PROFILE - METER NUMBER 27150885



BILLING PERIOD	AVG KWH PER DAY	AVG DAILY TEMPERATURE	12 MOS ENDING KWH USE
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BRIGHTEN UP THE HOLIDAY SEASON, BUT BE SURE LIGHTS  
ARE IN GOOD CONDITION AND DON'T OVERLOAD CIRCUITS.

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# Park Seed

## Spring '89 Order Form

☐ Please check if this order is a gift to be sent to another address.

**Please Print:**

Name S. ROBERT POWELL  
Address R. D. #1, BOX 48 E

Address R. O. #1, BOX 48 E

Union DALL

City WILMINGTON  
State PA Zip 18470

**NOTE:** The "Pkt Size Code" column is for seed only. Write the letter — for example (P) or (J) — shown next to price of the seed you want. In the "How Many" column write the number of packets of that size code, or the quantity of collections, bulbs, plants or garden supplies you want.


(Prices effective until December 31, 1989.)

Daytime Phone No. ( )

So we may call if necessary about your order.

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51-350	P	1	Plus Park's Burpless Bush Cucumber with \$15 or more order	FREE		
12-788	P	1	Plus Marigold Discovery Yellow Hyb. with \$20 or more order	FREE		
12-269	P	1	1 LYSIMACHIA PUNCTATA	1	25	
15-366	P	1	2 PENSTEMON GENTIANOIDES	1	25	
02-802	P	1	3 BAPTISIA VIRIDIS	1	50	
09-666	P	1	4 HELICHRYSUM MIXED	1	35	
05-721	P	1	5 CLEOME MIXED	0	95	
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09-515	P	1	9 HELIANTHUS LARGE FLOWERED 10 MIXED	1	25	
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12/29/88

Union Dale Volunteer Fire Co.

P. O. Box 192

Union Dale, PA 18470

Gentlemen:

When I contributed to the 1988  
Fund Drive (on 12/9/88) I indicated  
that I was in the process of  
arranging for mail delivery here  
in Elkdale.

Mail delivery here was recently  
approved. My correct mailing  
address here in Elkdale in the former  
Elkdale Baptist Church is as follows:

[ S. ROBERT POWELL  
R. D. #1, Box 48 E  
Union Dale, PA. 18470

Thank you.

Robert Powell

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December 89

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12/6 - Chum Treason - 983.06 ✗ - 167.47

12/11 - Depont + 876.35 ✓ 1044.32

12/11 - Chum Treason <sup>2589</sup> - 469.85 ✗ 574.47  
OK 12/17/89

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# Elkdale's sluice pipe woodchuck is dead

BY SRP

For several years I have lived near a woodchuck in Elkdale, who has declared a sluice pipe under the hard surfaced road out front to be his personal residence. I'm not sure what happens in the Spring when heavy rains and melting snow sometimes cause a fairly heavy flow of water through the sluice pipe for a few days. Perhaps the woodchuck takes refuge in the thicket of young locust trees, elderberry bushes, blackberries and dead weeds at the far end of the pipe for a few days? Whatever the case, as soon as things get back to normal, the woodchuck very quickly manifests his presence and proclaims his survival of the Spring flood by returning to my lawn, where he enjoys the first green grass of the season.

Whenever I unexpectedly appear from around the side of my building, my neighbor the woodchuck looks quickly up at me and then pauses in his flight to the sluice pipe, and frequently cancels his flight, almost as if to say, "Oh, it's only him. He won't harm me." Which is true.

Live and let live. As long as the sluice pipe woodchuck doesn't get interested in my garden, everything is fine. He'll have no problems from me. Were he to enter the sacred precincts of my vegetable and perennial flower gardens, however, I would take swift and decisive action against him.

For several years, my neighbor the woodchuck and I have lived in perfect harmony, and we have both learned a good deal about each other in the process. Woodchucks, if the truth be known, are not, however, one of my favorite animals, but my co-existence with the sluice pipe woodchuck clearly has made me more tolerant of woodchucks in general.

Late last summer, as I returned home one afternoon, I saw, as I came down the hill, what I thought to be an empty bag or the paper carton from a six-pack

in the middle of the road in front of my building. When I got closer, I saw

that it was my sluice pipe neighbor, dead in the middle of the road, in a pool of blood, lying on his back. I was momentarily stunned. "He's dead," I said to myself, "the sluice pipe woodchuck is dead."

Very probably he was hit by one of the many speeding pick-

up trucks that go by regularly. Some people, it seems, try to hit woodchucks and opossums and rabbits and squirrels and other small animals as they drive. To do so is perverse, and it's one of the many things that I'll never understand.

My first thought on seeing the dead woodchuck in the pool of blood in the middle of the road was to get the dead animal off the road as soon as possible. And not just by tossing it into the bushes at the side of the road. The smell of a decaying animal is not one that I want to live daily until the smell of the decomposing animal finally goes away. Dead deer along the roadside, for example, take weeks and weeks before they finally stop smelling. And so I took out the garden spade and picked up the surprisingly heavy dead sluice pipe woodchuck and carried him down to the edge of the hayfield across the road. There, out of the way of mowing machines and hay balers, under over-hanging hemlock branches, I dug a deep hole -- partly because I wanted to make sure that the decaying animal didn't smell and partly because I wanted my sluice pipe neighbor

to have a decent burial -- and therein I buried the woodchuck. I smoothed out the ground and made the grave as invisible as possible, not wanting to make any mess for the farmer in question -- a wonderful man with the greatest respect for the earth -- and not wanting to mar in any way the landscape. When the job was done, I said to myself, "That's that. The sluice pipe woodchuck is dead." The blood on the road bothered me, but I concluded that the blood would be gone in a few days, washed away by the rain or worn away by automobile and truck tires. And so I went about the rest of my life.

The following day, another woodchuck was killed in front of my house, in exactly the same spot in which the sluice pipe woodchuck had been killed. Was woodchuck Number 2 the mate of the sluice pipe woodchuck? Did she smell the blood and go to investigate and then get hit? Was Number 2 another woodchuck from the area who smelled the blood and was fatally attracted to the middle of the road? I'm not sure. I do know that sometimes two or three opossums are killed in one spot on the highway. I suppose that like the woodchucks they are attracted to the site by the smell of the blood. It wouldn't surprise me if the opossums even ate their dead relatives. That's not the case, I think, with woodchucks.

Whatever the reality, without hesitating for a single moment, I immediately got out the garden spade and quickly picked up Number 2 and carried her down to the woodchuck burial ground at the edge of the hayfield. There, I dug a deep hole, beside the sluice pipe woodchuck, and therein I placed Number 2. And there they lie, my departed neighbors, under the clean, soft, sweet earth, beside the open hayfield in which they spent so many of their Summer days.

Months have passed since the burials of the two woodchucks. Every once in a while the sluice pipe woodchucks come into my mind. Woodchucks are no longer quite so far down my list of favorite animals as they once were.



THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1988

Tales  
&  
Scales



by Bill Feddock

"The Christmas Bird Count." Did you know there are more than 650 species of birds that are frequent visitors and regular breeders in the United States? Mr. Frank Chapman, then editor of the magazine called *Bird Lore* (later to become *Audobon Magazine*) suggested that bird watchers make a simple tally of birds seen on Christmas Day of the year 1900 and to send him a report. After these tallies were published, bird watchers were encouraged, and since then bird watching has grown from 27 groups turning in 25 reports to more than 40,000 birders filing reports. In the beginning Christmas Bird Counts had very few rules and counts were more social events than serious sport minded scientific or conservation attempts. Today, the typical club tries numbering birds and species present in a 15 mile diameter circle on set days during a prescribed 2½ week period in late December. This is "The Christmas Bird Count."

Information collected now includes habitat, weather conditions, estimates of wild foods available, time spent in the fields and miles traveled. Some bird watchers have become so very enthusiastic about bird counts and watching that they spend days preparing and following weather forecasts, knowing that storms could "blow-in" some unusual birds. Sometimes, like fishermen before the opening day of trout or bass season, or deer hunters before hunting season opens, they will lay awake at night anticipating a good day of birding. Birds have a special enchantment for birders. It is scientific now, but the clubs maintain the Christmas Bird Count each year as a sporting event, and that is why they have good participation. The sport is highly competitive and obviously very enjoyable. They love to discover and add new species to their lists and overall have fun doing it, at the same time they provide valuable conservation information.

They react excitedly to the unexpected visiting birds from other places and other seasons. For most the satisfaction comes from having taken the time to be out there sharing with some of this planet's loveliest creatures of the wild. My own sightings and listings fascinate me, knowing what I learned about these most interesting of God's creative work.

There are times you or someone you know stopped using a back door or window after discovering a newly built nest. At one time or another, most of us have stopped in our steps to watch a humming bird or some other birds particular activity like a courtship display, scrambling and competing for tid-bits with one another, or mother bird diligently feeding little ones as they flutter their wings begging for more, and then the fledglings very unsteady first tries at flying. How beautiful and interesting these lovely little flying creatures are! It is good to know that so many folks are genuinely interested in birds and their welfare. Today, 88 years after Frank Chapman began, bird watching has become the most popular participant sport in the country. It's encouraging to realize that much of the world is keeping their heads, since at even-tide each day, when the Lord's birds let you hear them saying their Vespers as they settle down for the nite to rest, millions of hearts are tuned-in.

If you are a regular reader of this column, have you noticed over the past few years, how in nature and the outdoors there is always something interesting and suitable to talk about, learn, participate in and experience in every season of our four-season world?

(Hope you all have a Great 1989!)

Here are the predicted best times for fishing and hunting for this week:

Thurs. - 3:30 am, 3:45 pm  
Fri. - 4:10 am, 4:30 pm  
Sat. - 4:55 am, 5:15 pm  
Sun. - 5:30 am, 5:50 pm  
Mon. - 6:10 am, 6:30 pm  
Tues. - 6:50 am, 7:15 pm  
Wed. - 7:40 am, 8:05 pm

*This  
Column  
is a very  
appropriate  
introduction  
to my 1988  
bird list  
which will  
probably  
be published  
in next  
week's  
paper.*

December 29, 1988

Mr. John P. Kameen  
The Forest City News  
636 Main Street  
Forest City, PA 18421

Dear John:

For several years it has been one of my weekly habits to drive through Forest City either on my way to Carbondale from Elkdale or to Elkdale from Carbondale. The purpose of the weekly trip: to buy The Forest City News.

Recently I arranged for mail delivery at my residence in Elkdale and, having done so, I immediately came to the conclusion that I would have The Forest City News delivered directly to my residence.

Enclosed, therefore, is a check (#1174) for \$14.00 for a one year's subscription to The Forest City News.



I look forward to the convenience of home delivery of the always-interesting Forest City News.

Sincerely yours,

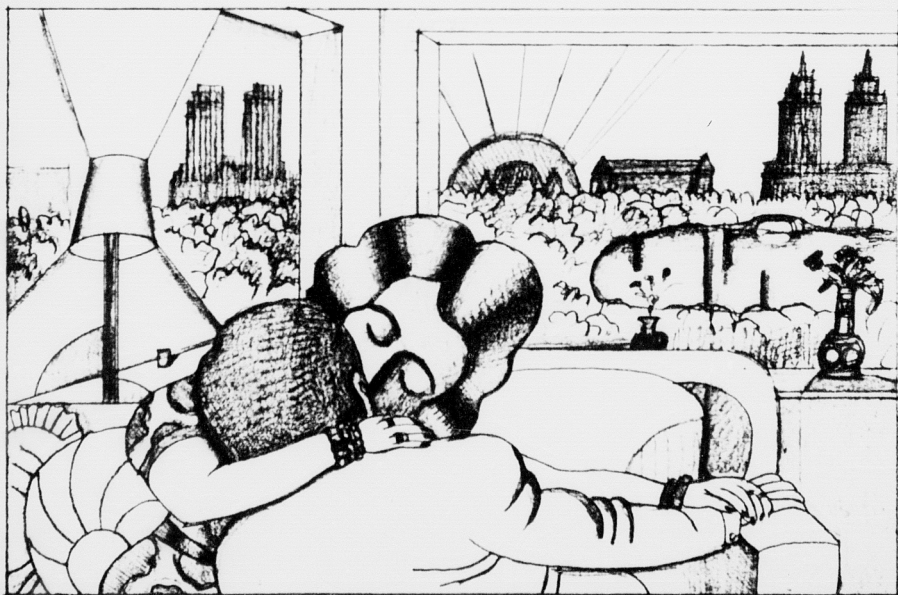
*Robert*

S. Robert Powell  
R. D. # 1, Box 48 E  
Union Dale, PA 18470

Mr. John P. Kameen  
The Forest City News  
636 Main Street  
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STEINBERG

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12/30/88 - Dinner at Eight - the 1933  
film, directed by George Cukor.

I own a VHS videocassette of the movie,  
which DWP, Peg and I watched tonight  
at Peg's. One of my favorite films  
of all time: Marie Dressler and  
Billie Burke are the stars of the  
show. On our way to Peg's,  
DWP & I stopped at the Chinese  
Restaurant in Carbondale and  
picked up some "Chicken and  
Bean Curd" and some "Shrimp  
with Bean Sprouts." Peg made  
some Fried Rice. We had a grand  
evening.

The movie is a wonderful study  
of the theme: Man in the face



of a disintegrating world, or as the French would say: "l'homme devant un monde qui se désintègre."

Who are the survivors? What must you do to survive?

Who are the victims and why are they destroyed/beaten?

Carlotta Lane and Mrs. Oliver Jordan are wonderfully outstanding and every one of their scenes is brilliant. This film is grand on <sup>screen</sup> television, but it (such a screening) can not compare to a screening in a period "downtown" movie theatre, filled with spectators. The film is best in a movie house and not in a living room.



CARBONDALE LODGE NO. 249

Carbondale, PA 18407

WORK : PROGRAM for January 4, 1989

1 Past officers' in-house SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

JANUARY 1989 BLUE LODGE

Since this is the first Stated Meeting of the new administration, all new officers will have questions about the proper conduct of the floor work. With the help of past officers, the new officers can learn at the beginning of their term how to properly do the floor work.

A Stated Meeting of Carbondale Lodge No. 249, Free and Accepted Masons, will be held in the Masonic Temple, 23 - 25 Salem Avenue, on

Wednesday Evening  
January 4, 1989  
at 7:30 P. M.

2 REPORTS

- a. Spaghetti Dinner 1989  
Chairman . . . . . John V. Bubniak, S. W.
- b. Masonic Hall Association Lodge Restoration Project  
President . . . . . Donald W. Powell, W. M.

Officers' Rehearsal

Officers' rehearsal will be held on Monday,  
January 2, 1989, at 7:30 P.M.

Officers are expected to attend and all members  
are welcome.

3 MASONIC EDUCATION

St. John's Day, December 27, 1853

[ "Masonic Anniversary," Carbondale Transcript  
and Lackawanna Journal, Vol. 5, No. 19  
(December 30, 1853), p. 2, by J. G. Murray,  
Secretary. ]

DUES

Dues for 1989 are now due. Kindly mail your  
check for \$25.00 to the Secretary.

Howard A. Yepson, P. M.  
Secretary

- 4 INAUGURAL ADDRESS . . . Donald W. Powell, W. M.  
"Nothing Ventured, Nothing Gained"

**ELECTED OFFICERS**

Donald Walker, Powell, Worshipful Master  
R.D. #1, Box 40, Carbondale, PA 18407  
282-5197

**SENIOR WARDEN**  
John V. Bubermak  
282-7517

**JUNIOR WARDEN**  
Dennis Suchnack  
282-2341

**TREASURER**  
Ronald A. Comunale, P.M.  
254-6266

**SECRETARY**  
Howard A. Yepsen, P.M.  
94 Brook Street  
Carbondale, PA 18407  
282-5151

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William Martin, P.M.

Samuel S. Pechusack, P.M.

Ambrose J. Collins, P.M.

**REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GRAND LODGE**

William D. Geesey, P.M.

**SUBSTITUTE REPRESENTATIVE IN THE GRAND LODGE**

Kenneth I. James, P.M.

**APPOINTED OFFICERS**

Chaplain  
Senior Deacon  
Junior Deacon  
Senior Master of Ceremonies  
Junior Master of Ceremonies  
Pursuivant  
Tyler

Ambrose J. Collins, P.M.

Merro Suchnack

John Suchnack

Robert N. Parry

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John Semo

Samuel J. Pechusack, P.M.

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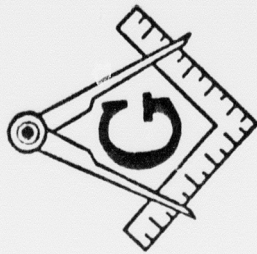
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Gordon W. Poskethwaite  
William Martin

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1935 Frederick L. Walker  
1945 Samuel S. Pechusack  
1947 David C. Martin  
1951 Donald D. Thomas  
1956 William F. Lewis  
1957 James P. Hicks  
1958 William R. Hicks  
1959 William D. Geesey  
1963 Russell E. Parry  
1966

1967 Robert W. Parry  
1968 John P. Zekler  
1969 Thomas W. Walker  
1970 Paul A. Thomas  
1971 Robert J. Gentile  
1974 Ronald A. Comunale  
1975 Kenneth I. James  
1976 Jerome Sick  
1977 William D. Geesey  
1978 Howard A. Yepsen  
1980 Joseph L. Shatt

**CARBONDALE LODGE NO. 249****Free and Accepted Masons**

Constituted September 11, 1850 - A.L. 5850

**Stated Meetings**

First Wednesday of each month at 7:30 P.M.  
Lodge Room, Masonic Temple  
23 - 25 Salem Avenue  
Carbondale, PA 18407

## *News Photo Potpourri*

### The Tenth Annual Pioneer Days Parade



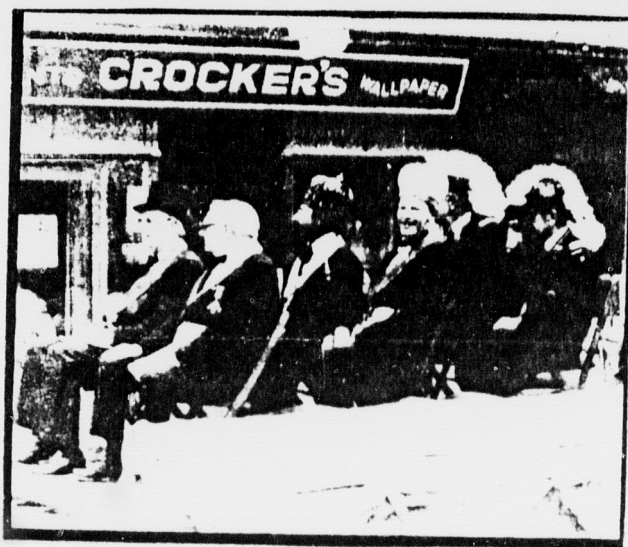
Carbondale Masonic Lodge 242

The printed caption correctly reproduces the sign. The sign is wrong. It should say "249", not "242".

It should also say :

Eureka Royal Arch Chapter No. 179

Palestine Commandery No. 14



Carbondale Masons in PIONEER DAYS PARADE, August 23, 1986  
( photograph from CARBONDALE NEWS, August 27, 1986 )

Representing Carbondale Lodge No. 249, Free and Accepted Masons

Howard A. Yepson

Linwood Ward

Representing Eureka Royal Arch Chapter No. 179

Ronald A. Comunale

Charles W. Price

Representing Palestine Commandery No. 14, Knights Templar

William D. Geesey

John Baldwin





The Masonic float in the Carbondale Pioneer Days Parade, August 29, 1987

Carbondale Lodge No. 249, Free and Accepted Masons, Howard A.  
Yepson, Worshipful Master

Eureka Royal Arch Chapter No. 179, Donald W. Powell, wearing the  
King's crown, and substituting for Benjamin A. Beynon, Most  
Excellent High Priest

Palestine Commandery No. 14, Knights Templar, S. K. Ronald A.  
Comunale, Eminent Commander

Photograph by Jim Hilton.

12/31/88— As I worked about the hen house  
this morning, I decided that I would  
begin today to save eggs for incubation  
from:

3 Black Australorps	$\times 7 \text{ days} = 21 \text{ eggs}$
2 Black Orpingtons	$\times 7 = 14 "$
1 Ameraucana	$\times 7 = \frac{7}{42} "$

I will collect eggs for a week or  
so and begin incubation possibly  
next Sunday — the 8th. I fussed about  
with various schemes for keeping the  
collected eggs under appropriate  
holding-for-incubation conditions &  
suddenly it dawned on me that  
what I should do is connect up  
the incubator and turn the temp-  
erature down therein to about  
55°F; that way the eggs would  
be held at a constant temperature

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in the appropriate range ( $40-60^{\circ}\text{F}$ ) —  
this system will work only because  
the temperature in the box does  
fall below  $55^{\circ}\text{F}$  during the night  
& when I am not here. The in-  
cubator breeding system would not  
work in a room that was always  
heated to, say,  $70^{\circ}\text{F}$ . The best  
part about the incubator breeding  
scheme is that by putting the  
automatic turning rack in the  
incubator and turning it on,  
I don't have to worry about  
turning the eggs. De plus, I  
can put water in the bottom  
of the machine and keep the  
eggs appropriately humid.

Given the fact that I keep the temperature at about  $60^{\circ}\text{F}$  in the center of the box, the incubator has not switched on a single time all evening, and the eggs are constantly held at about  $55^{\circ}\text{F}$ . I am <sup>will be</sup> anxious to hear the incubator click on when the room cools to below  $50^{\circ}\text{F}$  in the night.

If each of the 6 breeders lays an egg/day for the next week, I will <sup>have</sup> 42 eggs for incubation — which is the capacity of my incubator. Very probably they will not all lay every day. We shall see.



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